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Fair Sunday and Monday, light to moderate southwest winds.

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TAFT AND KNOX SPOKE IN BUFFALO

President Discussed His Legislative Hopes Before Ad Club.

KNOX FLAYS THE NEWSPAPERS

Certain Publications That Are Guilty of Diluting the News—Taft Refers to Hughes' Nomination—Features.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 30.—President Taft and Secretary of State Knox as guests of the Buffalo Ad. Club at luncheon today made two little impromptu speeches which won them enthusiastic plaudits. The President spoke of his legislative hopes, but declared that he preferred being advertised rather than to advertise himself, despite the criticism that he did not sufficiently employ that agency. Secretary Knox took a decided fling at "some newspapers" which, he declared, in diluting the news were as guilty of wrong doing as men indicted under the pure food act for diluting food stuffs.

"Especially," added the Secretary, "if that dilution springs from malice or an attempt to misrepresent."

The President and Secretary Knox reached Buffalo from Washington at 7:25 o'clock this morning.

Shortly after noon the President held a reception at the Chamber of Commerce. He also visited the University Club to meet a number of Yale alumni and from there went to the Great Wick Cancer Laboratory for a brief visit. After speaking at the banquet of the Chamber of Commerce in the convention hall tonight the President left for Pittsburg. Mr. Taft broke a Presidential precedent today by allowing himself to be quoted at an interview with reporters. He asked his interviewers to keep away from politics, but they plunged right into the New York situation and especially the appointment of Gov. Hughes to the Supreme Court bench.

"I saw Gov. Hughes at Albany," the president said, "before he was nominated and we went over the question of his running again for governor. I urged him to do so. He gave me many reasons why he could not. When a man like Hughes makes up his mind, it's not done without careful consideration, and it's usually made for good.

As to the income tax, the President said: "My views on that subject have not changed in any way. I am decidedly in favor of giving the government the right to levy a tax in time of necessity."

At the Ad. Club luncheon the President was presented with a gold fountain pen which enabled him to say to Democratic National Chairman Norman E. Mack and W. J. Connors that if their expectations of a Democratic Congress were realized he might have to use the pen more frequently to explain why he did not sign acts than in signing them.

"But," he added, "I hope at least that I shall have the privilege of signing those measures I have so much at heart now and that I have been chided for coming to Buffalo on account of, lest my presence in Washington be needed to secure the votes necessary to their passage." Mr. Taft was elected to honorary membership in the club.

President Taft and Secretary Knox were the guests of honor tonight at the banquet held in ratification of the two leading commercial organizations of Buffalo—the Chamber of Commerce and the Manufacturers' Club. It was one of the largest and most elaborate dinners ever served in the city.

Secretary Knox devoted himself to an explanation of recent reforms in the diplomatic and consular services. He declared anew that diplomacy and trade must go hand in hand and that it was a misconception to construe it otherwise. The Secretary expressed the hope that the administration would have the undivided support of the commercial organizations of the country in carrying out this policy.

The President spoke at Niagara Falls as an embarrassment, because of its scenic gradeur and industrial utility. This brought him to a discussion of the conservation of natural resources, and indirectly to a reference to Secretary Ballinger when he said:

"Let me lift my voice in behalf of those who are responsible for carrying forward this work and plead that they shall not be traduced and misrepresented in reaching a solution of a problem most difficult."

HALF HOUR SCHEDULE.

In Effect on Suburban Line—Refreshments at Lumina Today.

The regular semi-Summer schedule on the suburban line went into effect yesterday afternoon. This means that cars are run to the beach evry half hour in the afternoons. As this is the first day of May the preliminary opening of the beach season will take place and it is expected that great crowds will go to the beach this afternoon. The refreshment stand at Lumina will be open today for the accommodation of patrons. The ladies' reception hall will be in charge of a competent attendant. If the weather is favorable great crowds will flock to the resort this afternoon.

CARRAWAY GETS FIVE YEARS

Not Guilty of First Count, But Guilty of Other Two—Stevens and Taylor Cases Will Probably be Dropped.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., April 30.—This morning at 10:15 the jury in the Carraway case brought in their verdict finding the defendant not guilty of embezzlement but guilty both of false entries and misappropriation of the funds of the bank.

The jury prayed the court to give the defendant all the mercy in its power. Counsel for Carraway at once moved to set aside the verdict which was denied. Then motion for a new trial was made and this also was denied. Judge Connor then stated that the court was disposed to take the suggestion of the jury and that he would give Carraway the minimum sentence of five years in the Atlanta penitentiary. An appeal was spoken of and bond was fixed at $10,000 but this was dropped and Carraway left for Raleigh this evening in charge of Deputy Marshall R. W. Ward.

The cases of Stevens and Taylor, charged as accessors, were continued and their bonds reduced to $2,000 each. The general impression is that these cases will not be called.

Judge A. H. Guion stated this afternoon that he never entertained a thought of being a candidate for Congress from this district, and that he did not know how such an impression ever got out. Judge Guion stated that he did not want to be Congressman; that he resigned to come home and practice law with his son and that as Guion & Guion he would give his time to the law.

Judge D. L. Ward, successor to Judge Guion, by appointment of Gov Kitchin, has received his commission and this afternoon took the oath of office which was administered by Justice S. R. Street. Judge Ward will hold his first court on Monday at Nashville, N. C.

"THE MAN OF THE HOUR."

Correspondent at Clarkton Writes His Views of Congressional Candidates.

Editor Morning Star.

Dear Sir:—Please allow one of your subscribers a small space in regard to the coming Sixth Congressional Convention, for an honest expression of views on one of the candidates for this high honor, one of the highest in the gift of the State to one of her sons; an office whose incumbent should have the requisites that made Calhoun, Clay, and Webster synonymous with style, diplomacy and tenacity, attributes that made a name for them in the highest halls of history. Not wishing to cast any reflections upon the other candidates that are calling upon their countrymen for support in seeking this high office, I wish to say a few words in the cause of one of these gentlemen, who appeals to me as one possessed of more of the above qualities that go to make up a statesman (not politician) than his competitors. Could the balance of the Sixth District know this gentleman as we of Bladen and Columbus counties know him, there would be absolutely no question of his nomination which carries with it the election. Loved and respected by everyone with whom he comes in contact for his overpowering sense of honor, for his intense hatred of anything bordering on the vicious, in truth a Man. These qualities alone would not make him eminently fitted for this office, but coupled with his knowledge of finance, farming and business, three avocations of which he is a past master, does make him peculiarly fitted to represent this section of our State in the halls of Congress, qualities that should make him an ideal candidate. He does not lay any claim as to being a politician, but he knows the conditions and needs of the high and low, the banker, the business man, and above all, the farmer, and his actions as State Senator show that he knows how to present these conditions to get the relief that his constituents needed, and to gain the praise and admiration of his fellow Senators. He also brings to you as a sacred heritage a long line of antecedents to the manor born, who were possessed of the highest honor, thrift and industry. His life has been one grand success as a Christian, banker, merchant, farmer, and like his ancestors imbued with those sterling qualities of the Scotch, he is indeed the "Man of the Hour". A man that is quick to perceive the best and finding it, with the courage of his convictions and strength enough to never cry quit until he has accomplished his end. Such a man we need in Congress, a man that does things, one that does not spend the time of his people in idle dreams, a man whose whole purpose in life has been the upbuilding, and bettering of his fellow man, time and money were secondary considerations in securing this end. I wish to call the attention of the voters of the Sixth District that what we need in our legislative halls are "Men", not drones, workers, men that will not sit at ease when their country is calling for help. A man that fits this bill in every particular, Old Bladen presents to her sister counties in this District. The name of her favorite son, the Hon. O. L. Clark, the man that deserves the votes of every man in the district. Above reproach, second to none in intellectual ability, above the average in integrity, beyond question as to energy, a living example of success, and above all else honor, a "Man for the Masses."

Erin. J. D. HEDRICK. **

Monday, May 2nd.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank Monday, May 2nd, will bear interest from May 1st. **

PACKERS INDICTED AT SAVANNAH, GA.

Alleged Conspiracy to Force Savannah Firm Out of Business.

MEAT WAS SOLD AT BIG LOSS

Five Leading Concerns of the United States and Three Agents Under Indictment—Methods of the Trust.

Savannah, Ga., April 30.—The grand jury of the United States court this afternoon returned indictments against the Cudahy Packing Company, Schwarzschild, Sulzberger & Company, Swift & Company, the Armour Packing Company and Nelson Morris Company as corporations and against the following individuals: Emmet B. Adams, local agent for Swift & Company; William D. Cooper, agent for Armour Packing Company, and Fred M. Hull, Jr., agent for Nelson Morris & Company.

There are two counts in the indictment, one charging that the corporations sold meat at less than cost, for the purpose of putting the South Atlantic Packing Company, of Savannah, out of business, and the other five local agents entered into a combination to arbitrarily fix the price of beef, eliminating competition. The agents indicted have not been in the employ of the packing houses locally for a year or more.

The Savannah representatives of the two other packing houses named in the indictment are not mentioned.

The date of operations for which the indictment is brought is for the year 1908.

It is alleged that the packing houses named in the indictment bought and slaughtered live stock at various points in the West and North, shipped fresh meats to Savannah, reduced the price of meats and sold them on the market at a loss. The result of this alleged manipulation, it is charged, forced the South Atlantic Packing and Provision Company, of Savannah, to sell its product at a loss and was in a conspiracy in restraint of business, trade and commerce. The intent of the large packing houses is alleged to have been to force the local house out of the field of competition.

The second count alleges that between June 10th and August 1st, 1908, all of the defendants effected a combination whereby they fixed arbitrary non-competitive and exorbitant prices for meats, thus eliminating that competition which should naturally exist among them.

William D. Cooper, of the defendants, is in Nashville, Tenn.; and Fred M. Hull, Jr., is at Little Rock, Ark. It is expected that service will be effected immediately on the defendants and bonds made.

In discharging the grand jury Judge Speer referred to the valuable service rendered by them to the public. The indictments ar brought under the act of Congress "To protect trade and commerce against unlawful restraints and monopolies" and conviction is punishable by a fine not exceeding $5,000 on each count, or a penitentiary service of a year or both.

CAROLINA DAMES ELECT.

Sessions in Washington Nearing an End—Honorary President.

Washington, April 30.—Without any contest, the Colonial Dames of America succeeded in electing their officers for the next term at the tenth biennial court in session here.

The officers are: President, Mrs. R. W. Cox, of Virginia; vice presidents, Mrs. Alexander Jamieson, of New Jersey; Mrs. J. R. Lamar, of Georgia; Mrs. Elizabeth C. L. Goddard, of Colorado; secretary, Mrs. C. R. Miller, of Delaware; treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Cassatt, of Pennsylvania; register, Mrs. N. E. Bacon, of Rhode Island; historian, Miss Alice French, of Iowa.

As honorary president, Mrs. Howard Townsend, of New York, was chosen and as honorary vice president, Mrs. Beverly Kennon, of the District of Columbia, was selected.

The question of the society contributing to the fund for the erection of brass tablets to the signers of the Declaration of Independence in the Cathedral of Sts. Peter and Paul in this city, will probably be settled befor the conclusion of the session.

NOT IN BANKRUPTCY

Erroneous Report as to Mississippi Cotton House.

Columbus, Miss., April 30.—It was erroneously reported yesterday that the spot cotton firm of Steele, Miller & Co., whose headquarters are in Corinth, Miss., had gone into bankruptcy. There is not the slightest foundation for the report, according to A. L. Jones manager of the local office of the firm. The company's offices here and elsewhere are doing business as usual and the rumor that the bankruptcy proceedings have been filed has not injured its business in the least.

A report that proceedings asking the appointment of a receiver for the firm had been filed by a Bremen cotton concern Wednesday probably gave rise to the rumor but the officials of the Mississippi company say they know of no such proceedings except what they have learned from newspaper reports.

NEGRO SUICIDE IN SAMPSON

Body of Ben Moore Found—Prominent Farmer Killed at Saw Mill. Superior Court Monday. Other Notes.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Clinton, N. C., April 30.—The body of Ben Moore, the negro who attempted to murder his wife by striking her in the head with an axe two weeks ago, was found this afternoon by some boys who were fishing in the Williams mill race.

This is the point where Ben said his body would be found on the night he left home after supposing he had slain his wife. The woman has recovered from her injury. Ben was an industrious negro, a plasterer by trade, but subject to violent outbursts of anger. He is the first negro known to have committed suicide in this section. The boys found the body floating in a deep hole and were badly frightened by the discovery.

George Cooper, a prominent farmer, was killed at his saw mill near Salemburg, ten miles west of Clinton, this morning. He was walking near a large belt when he slipped and fell upon the belt and was snatched on to a pulley which crushed his head into a shapeless mass. His body was otherwise mangled. He was an excellent citizen and leaves a wife and several children.

Miss Gertrude Wellons died at the home of her father, J. A. Wellons, here this evening after a lingering illness.

Superior Court convenes here Monday. There are two capital cases on the State docket and an effort is being made to add a third by the prosecution of Policeman John K. Tew, for the killing of George Jones, a farmer, here some time ago. The prosecution is being pressed by friends of Jones.

REMAINS OF DR. COELET.

Reached Goldsboro Yesterday and Laid to Rest in Willowdale.

Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., April 30.—The remains of Dr. Augustin H. Goelet, of New York, arrived in the city over the A. C. L. this afternoon at 3 o'clock and were met at the depot by a large delegation of friends of the family and of his own boyhood days and accompanied to their last resting place, Willowdale cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. Gilmer Buskie, rector of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. The remains were accompanied here from New York by two nieces, daughters of the late Dr. E. B. Goelet, his brother, both of whom were born here. These are Mrs. Chas. J. Minsterer, New York; Mrs. A. P. Reeves, of Chicago, and also by Mr. Charles J. Minsterer. The funeral tributes, both from friends here and New York were many and very beautiful.

ONE NEGRO CUT, ANOTHER SHOT.

Great Excitement at 13th and Princess Streets Late Yesterday.

There was an abundance of excitement at 13th and Princess streets late yesterday afternoon, when two negroes became involved in a personal difficulty, probably resulting in the serious injury of both. The police have not been able to learn the full particulars of the affair, but from reports received by them a negro by the name of George Williams and another who goes by the name of "Goat" had a falling out and "Goat" used Williams badly with a knife, cutting several gashes about the head. Williams was also badly beaten. He went to his home, secured his shotgun and returning to the scene of the combat fired at "Goat", who beat a hasty retreat toward the swamps in that vicinity. Williams went to the hospital and had his wounds dressed and was later taken to the City Hall, where he was lodged in a cell. The officers have been searching for "Goat", but up to 1 o'clock this morning had been unable to get any trace of him. It is believed, however, that some of the shot from Williams' gun took effect in his body.

Marietta, Ga., April 30.—Capt. R. W. Boone, the last descendant of the famous hunter, Daniel Boone, and a prominent banker of this city, died at his home yesterday after an illness of several weeks. He was a native of North Carolina.

OUTLINES.

A Savannah grand jury yesterday returned indictments against the five packing concerns and three agents, alleged to be in restraint of trade. It was alleged that meat was sold at less than cost to force a local concern out of business——Secretary Ballinger on the stand yesterday at the Congressional inquiry continued to contradict and deny statements and accusations against him——Charges by a member of the Illinois Legislature that he was bribed to vote for Senator Lorimer caused a sensation in Chicago yesterday. Legislators declare the charges are untrue——A nation-wide "back to the farm" movement will be inaugurated in St. Louis on May 5th. Prominent men, including Governor Hadley, of Missouri, will take an active part in the plans——New York markets: Money on call nominal, time loans steady; spot cotton closed quiet, middling uplands 15.25, middling gulf 15.50; flour dull and about steady; wheat irregular, No. 2 red 1.14 nominal No. 1 northern 1.17 1-2 nominal f. o. b. opening navigation; corn steady, steamer 63 1-2 and No. 4, 6, both nominal elevator export basis; oats steady, mixed nominal; rosin quiet, turpentine steady.

BRIBERY CHARGES STOUTLY DENIED

Accusations of Illinois Legistor Causes Sensation Yesterday.

WHITE TELLS OF BRIBES

Charges Met by Daniels on All Sides—Legislators Claim It's Scheme to Get Money—Exposes White's Letter.

Chicago, April 30.—Representative Charles A. White's sensational story that he received $1,000 to cast his vote for William Lorimer for the United States Senate and that he (White) also accepted $900 as his share of an alleged Legislature "slush fund" met with denials on the part of all others today.

Lee O'Neil Brown, of Ottawa, Democratic minority leader at Springfield, arrived in this city this afternoon as did Senator Lorimer, both denying the use of bribes in the most emphatic manner.

Mr. Browne, alleged by White to have been the distributor of the Lorimer money, declared that White rushed into print because he had failed in an attempt to use his story to secure "hush money."

Robert E. Wilson, a Democratic representative from Chicago, declared by White to have doled the "Jack pot" at St. Louis, joined the chorus of denials.

According to Browne, White was formerly a street car conductor at East St. Louis and later appeared at Springfield as a lobbyist in favor of labor bills. Then he was elected to the lower house.

White in his charges states that the public might expect to hear him called a blackmailer, but that he was prepared for that; he was willing to suffer ignominy in order to expose the corruption which he declared exists at Springfield.

Browne declared today that on several occasions he had loaned White money, but finally he grew tired of it. Then he said he secured White a position, but the latter refused it. Then a coolness, he said, sprang up. "The next thing to come from him," said Browne, "was a remarkable letter. It ran this way.

"'I have written a full story of my experiences at Springfield at the Legislature. Those who have seen it declare that it is the best story that the world has seen. I wrote it for publication. I have used your name in it with deep regret, for I cannot avoid it and still set forth the facts. I also have told Senator Lorimer about it.'

"He didn't ask for money," continued Mr. Browne, "but the intimation was as plain as if it had been in scare heads that, unless money was paid, the story would be published. It was my first intimation that he had gone into the thug business. I looked at the situation from every angle and at last concluded there was but one thing to do—to ignore the letter and its writer."

White is expected to tell his story to the special grand jury next week.

White's Letter to Mother.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 30.—Charles A. White, the Illinois Legislator, was formerly a clerk in a department store here. His mother in this city received the following letter from him dated Chicago, Ill., April 28 last:

"I am writing you at this time to let you know that I am preparing to enter a great fight to clear Illinois of corrupt practice in legislative affairs. This is a great undertaking and for a short time I may be accused of all kinds of corruption and for that matter with insincerity.

"All that I ask you people at home to do is to avoid talking about me, except to tell the truth that I never committed crime during all the period of my life at home.

"Now, whatever you do, don't get excited or worried about me, for I am taking a clean, clear, honorable position in my efforts and no matter what may be said, I will prove myself in the right.

On April 7th he wrote as follows: "I have been so busy the past few months that I have hardly had time to eat. I am at present waging an awful fight and I have every reason to believe that I will be successful.

"It will be one of the greatest fights ever waged or undertaken in the interest of the people of Illinois. I will let you know some of the good it will accomplish as soon as I am prepared to lead the fight on."

VETERAN SLASHES ANOTHER.

Unfortunate Incident in South Carolina Soldier's Home.

Columbia, S. C., April 29.—Commandant Starling, of the State home for Confederate veterans here, himself a veteran, is confined to his bed because of knife wounds received in an encounter with an inmate, R. M. Davis, of Spartanburg. Davis, angered over Starling's enforcement of rules he considered arbitrary, attacked the commandant suddenly and the latter asved himself probable fatal injury by knocking down his assailant with a chair. Davis is in jail charged with assault and battery with intent to kill.

Attend the sale at Poivogt's this week. **

BALLINGER MAKES FULL DENIAL

Declares Statements and Accusations Against Him Are Untrue—Defends His Course in Reclamation Service.

Washington, April 30.—Secretary Ballinger continued to contradict and deny statements and accusations against him in the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation today. He still was under direct examination when the inquiry adjourned until Thursday.

Mr. Ballinger launched into a justification of his attitude toward the reclamation service. His most important denial was of the charge made by Director F. H. Newell and Chief Engineer A. P. Davis, of the service, that he misrepresented to the President that the reclamation service had recommended the restoration of the water sites withdrawn by Secretary Grafield.

The reclamation service officials swore Mr. Ballinger ordered them to recommend these restorations. Mr. Ballinger swore just as positively that he made no such order, although he felt the land had been illegally withdrawn and should be restored to entry and had so stated to the reclamation officials.

Mr. Ballinger made no secret of the fact that he would like to have Mr. Newell superceded as the head of the reclamation bureau. He told the committee he did not have confidence in Newell's administrative ability, although he denied hostility to the government's reclamation policy and said many of the projects under way had great possibilities for the development of the West.

Asked by his lawyer why he did not "make a change" in the reclamation service, Mr. Ballinger retorted sharply:

"Because my hands have been up for months and I haven't been able to get them down."

Mr. Ballinger probably will be on the stand for three more days at least.

Two hours of today's session was consumed by the committee over the question of granting Attorney Brandeis' request for papers and documents bearing on the summary of the Glavis charges prepared for the President by the Attorney General. The committee again denied the report, though making one small concession. The opposing attorneys argued the question and threw some light on the controversy.

For the first time Mr. Brandeis openly stated his belief that the Attorney General had ante-dated his summary "with the idea of making that appear proper which was not proper when done." He had reference to the dismissal of his client, L. R. Glavis, by the President on September 13th last, and was intimating that the Attorney General, months after that date, had drawn up the summary in an effort to justify an error of the President and in order to make the deception complete had dated it two days before the President's action was taken.

AND STILL ANOTHER.

Eleventh Lodge, Knights of Pythias, in the State of Robeson.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

McDonald's, N. C., April 30.—A large delegation of enthusiastic Knights of Pythias gathered at this place last night for the purpose of instituting a lodge of that order at this place, coming from Lumberton, Rowland, Fairmont and other places.

State Deputy Grand Chancellor James D. Nutt, of Wilmington, was master of ceremonies, and everything passed off in good shape. There were 21 Knights enrolled as charter members. The officers elected were as follows: C. C., Spurgeon McLean; V. C., A. L. Hall; Prelate, Colon Price; M. of W., H. B. Prevatt; M. of A., C. J. Ham; M. of F. F. M. Davis; M. of E., Foster Williams; O. G., Chas. Davis; Past Chancellors, H. G. Stubbs, Amos Butler, Roderick Scott, and D. H. Britt. Grand Lodge Representative, D. H. Britt; Lodge Deputy, H. G. Stubbs.

This makes the 11th lodge for Robeson county, and when the lodge at Centenary is instituted next week, it will make 12.

One Day Left to Pay Poll Tax.

Tomorrow is the last day on which one may pay his poll tax in order to vote in the approaching county primary and general election in the Fall. It was stated at the Sheriff's office yesterday that some 25 or 30 secured receipts during the past week. The books show that there are some 700 or 800 whites in the county who have not paid their poll tax for 1909. However, of this number many have moved away, some have died and others have been relieved by the County Commissioners for one cause or another. This is about the usual number on the list each election year. Attaches of the Sheriff's office are expecting many to obtain their receipts tomorrow.

INCREASE ON A. C. L.

Six Per Cent in All Salaries of Employes.

It was announced from the general offices in this city yesterday that the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has increased, on an average of about six per cent., the salaries of clerks, agents, and other employes who receive $125 per month or less.

This increase is effective May 1st, 1910, and applies to several thousand people.

PRETTY STEW THIS IN WAKE COUNTY

Wings of Democratic Party Unable to Get Together in Mass Meeting.

OPPOSING FACTIONS CLASH

Two Meetings Held, One in Court House and One in Street—Each Denounces Components of the Other.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 30.—The highest expectations of those who anticipated the sensational in connection with the Wake County Democratic mass meeting called by J. W. Bailey, Editor Josephus Daniels and other Democrats for today, were outstripped in actual developments.

When the doors of the Academy opened for the mass meeting, the managers of the call had a place divided into sections for the townships and doorkeepers to see that the prescribed rule was followed in admitting and seating people.

Manager Upchurch, of the Academy, insisted his house could not be used in this way and that the doors must be open to all comers or the mass meeting would be held elsewhere. The crowd filled the hall and J. W. Bailey came on the platform and denounced the requirement of Upchurch. Bailey called on all Democrats opposto to ring rule and domination of the machine to go with him to the county Court House. Mr. Bailey and Editor Daniels were followed by a large number of people and the idea quickly spread for all to go to the Court House, which was filled to overflowing.

The appearance of Mr. Bailey on the judge's stand was the signal for an uproar to begin. There were cries for "Jones"; some calling for Armistead Jones, chairman of the County Executive Committee, others for "Buck Jones", his son, especially active in Democratic politics and State Senator. Along with these cries went up insistence that Mr. Bailey be heard. Armistead Jones mounted a table to ask that the meeting be quiet and listen to Mr. Bailey, but all were powerless to stay the storm of confusion that went up from all over the hall.

Finally W. B. Jones mounted a table and started off with an appeal to "My fellow Democrats", but Mr. Bailey, standing on the rostrum, shouted to his followers not to let him speak and that was the signal for another general outbreak.

This contest went on with efforts from one and another, declaring the situation a disgrace to the party and appealing for order a long while. Some one suggested that ex-Governor Aycock be called to the rostrum while others shouted and jesticulated toward James H. Pou, but neither would have any voice in the conflict.

In desperation Mr. Bailey shouted that this was a sample of the Democratic ring rule in Wake county; that they had come in determined to make a "rough house", that their efforts would only hurt themselves. "Remember this situation", he shouted "is a disgrace to the Democratic party and to the people. Ex-County Chairman J. N. Holding came on the rostrum to raise his voice for order. Mr. Bailey and Editor Daniels protested against the interference, choosing to fight it out. Mr. Bailey declared to Mr. Holding if he could not call his own meeting to order, no one else should. So the uproar went on. Finally Chairman Armistead Jones got attention enough to be heard to say, "Let all who love the Democratic party keep quiet." He turned toward Mr. Bailey who started to speak. Then there was a fresh outbreak, worse than ever. The disorder went steadily on for some time. Finally Mr. Bailey and Mr. Daniels, shouting something that was drowned out even for those right close beside them, took their hats and passed out signing for friends to follow. It developed that they wanted to try another place of meeting. The Court House was jammed to its utmost standing room. Two hundred or more passed out after Mr. Bailey retired and Mr. Bailey and Mr. Daniels assembled a large crowd on the sidewalk in front of the Court House where speeches were made and resolutions adopted, declaring war to the hilt in the June primaries against the machine. Up in the Court House which was still well filled, through appeals of Chairman Jones for "all good Democrats to remain", Rufus Dunn, of New Light township, was nominated for chairman by Senator Buck Jones and quickly elected. Armistead Jones proceeded with a speech in which he declared the party organization is charged by Bailey and Daniels with corruption. This organization is made up of your or your neighbors who constitute the county executive committee. These insults and charges of corruption made by Bailey and his crowd must be resented, he declared. "Who is Bailey?" he asked. Then he proceeded on Bailey with the statement that he had no Democratic record. (He read editorials from the News and Observer with the editor of which he pointed out, Bailey is now closely allied in this movement, in which the editor declared that he had no doubt, Bailey would like to vote for McKinley, which he had threatened

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REALM OF SPORTS

BASE BALL — RACING — THE RING

With Pugilist Jas. J. Jeffries in California Training Camp

"HE CAUGHT 'EM—I'LL DO THE EATING."
"SAWING WOOD"
PLAYS WITH MEDICINE BALL
PUNCHES BAG BEFORE BREAKFAST
WEIGHT REDUCING RUN
SPARRING WITH BOB ARMSTRONG
"WHERE'S JOHNSON?"
PICTURES BY STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER, AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

Rowardennan, Cal., April 30.—It may be important that the fruit crop will be short this year, but how's Jeffries' condition? Some folks may regret that Senator Aldrich will leave the Senate, but did Jeff sleep well last night? Halley's comet is hitting it up at a million miles an hour rate and is sure to strike Mother Earth a little south of Kalamazoo, Mich., but, say, Big Jim only ate nine eggs for breakfast. Is he going back? Bud, say, tell me! Hans Wagner and Ty Cobb fought a duel with baseball bats and both are dead. Yes? Well, interesting, but do you think Jeffries can come back? Now, it's a sure thing that the tariff will come up for revision. Who's the tariff? No one's interested. It's a heap more important to know that James J. Jeffries chopped down a tree, licked five sparring partners and is "better than ever." Inch by inch the sporting, political and business and a few other worlds are rising to white heat over the coming battle of the boilermaker with Jack Johnson. Telegraph reports from various parts of the country tell of troubles at the fireside of heretofore peaceful homes over the question, Will Jim win? Out in California he is busy training, and the above series of pictures gives an idea of what he is doing.

E. CAROLINA DIAMOND DUST

Slanguage Spatters and Dope Daubs for the Delectation of Bugbodies —Fanbunds the Order Around the Circuit.

It was Confucius who arose to ejaculate: "It is better to play than do nothing," which said specific Chink was awfully long on sage-junk—not wasting his time running a hand laundry.

Horace, the Latin, not to be outdone when philosophic prattle was a la mode, chanted in his turn: "After serious matters let us indulge in a season of sport."

While none other than Napoleon himself opined that "Men are but great children."

Maybe, then, this flossy line of precedents and quotation stuff doesn't bolster up men of age and reason for taking an active interest in our National game, and other kindred sports of brawn and brain. Mind; I said maybe! Ergo, it is proven conclusively that those who have gone before were by no means fogies in the sporting line, and some even went to the extent of bragging to posterity about such matters. So now every time you see a bunch of growners attending a Fanbund, don't shake your deduction dome and tap the skull significantly, but stop and let it filter through your brain bag that those same parties do better to pass their spare time fanning, than resorting to other things we wot of. And don't laugh mulishly when the office boy craves an afternoon off to see the game, and advances the same hackneyed excuse to get away.

Locally the fanabelles have begun to loosen up with queries about the personnel of the team, and this alone indicates that popular fancy has again hit upon its chosen Summer diversion and pleasure in this neck of the woods.

League Park has resembled an apiary this week, and the faithful will hardly recognize their old haunts. The entire field has been worked over with clay, and numerous other improvements have been made to the grounds and appurtenances.

Manager Kite has forwarded transportation to the various recruits who go to make up the Sailors trial list, and the men should begin to amble in during the present week. A series of ante-season games is being arranged with neighboring towns, and the crew will likely be taken for a week's barnstorming to nearby burgs, besides engaging in an affair or two on the local lot. Eddowes, of this season's Lynchburg team, and who held the New York Highlanders down in a trial game, which the latter lost, has been secured through former Manager Smith, and should prove a valuable acquisition. Owner Smith has lines out for one of Connie Mack's youngsters, who does the serving stunt, which will give us a strong collection of twirlers to pick regular men from. Another outfielder, yclept Albert, has been signed for a try out.

Great reports of strong aggregations rumor from around the circuit, and some of the war-talk is enough to give a local fan shiveritis, but one thing's certain, we're a regular Battling N. for gameness, and don't intend taking the count from anyone until some several rounds are pealed off, or decay sets in. The way, however the jargon is circulating would make our old friend the Taffy Man insanely jealous. Nearly all of the places come in for a share of the hop talk, but most of the clubs are working quietly.

There are whispers of the strength of the Fayetteville aggregation which are no idle aviations of imagination. The Kilties are canny bairns, though, and you winna ken what they have up their sleeves for the balance until time for the show down. However, to commence with they've Luyster, the bright particular Karomel Kid of last season, whom Pittsburg only relinquished because she had too, and then not until finger paralysis had developed. Said Luyster will don a Highland war-bonnet, and lead the Fayetteville twirlers. And practically the balance of its last year's team will fill the other positions, and everybody knows what a husky gang they constitute.

Wilson is busy signing, and saying little. Goldsboro is pursuing its conservative way. King Kelly is rounding things up to a majestic turn in the Capital City. Rocky Mount has stowed its thinks, and hasn't turned on the talk tap. Still, actions are what count.

Getting personal, We're not Chanticleer-ing at all about what Wilmington is going to pass the others in the way of Solar P's. Not even using sign language to that end. But we have got a sort of strangle hold on hope, and results will be yanked down if possible.

The local Fannies are daily the scene of many a heated baseballogical discussion, and it will be but a short while now before the beginning of the fidety season.

By way of parenthesis, quite an exciting game of ball was pulled off at Hilton Park yesterday afternoon, between a picked nine from among the Examiners of the Interstate Commerce Commission, temporary residents of Wilmington, and a team representing the Atlantic Coast Line, the latter winning by a score of 5 to 2. Batteries for the Examiners, Peck, Geekie, Rittenhouse and McAdams; for the Railroaders, Busch and McClelland.

The affair was studded with hard hitting and snappy playing, the result being in doubt until the last out, and was featured by the pitting of Geekie and Busch, the timber onslaughts of McAdams, Richardson and McClelland, the stewardship of the primary sack, and its environs, by Lishawa and Lucas of the respective teams, and the general all round hard playing and conscientious work by individuals.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, April 30.—Boston continued the hitting streak today, drove Walker to the bench, and defeated Washington 5 to 3. Three double plays by the locals were the features.

Washington	300 000 000—3	8	1
Boston	000 201 200—5	17	2

Walker, Gray and Street; Karger and Carrigan.

New York, April 30.—A dropped third strike on Baker by Sweeney in the seventh inning today, followed by two hits and an error by Knight, enabled the Athletics to make two runs and tie the Highlanders. In the 11th, the visitors won out, earning two runs on hits by Oldring, Baker and Murphy.

Phila	000 000 200 02—4	9	2
New York	000 101 000 00—2	6	2

Bender and Livingstone; Quinn and Sweeney.

Chicago, April 30.—Chicago defeated Detroit 1 to 0 in a pitcher's duel between White and Summers.

Chicago	100 000 00x—1	5	0
Detroit	000 000 000—0	2	0

White and Payne; Summers and Stanage.

St. Louis, April 30.—Cleveland won the first game of the series with the local team today by a score of 2 to 1. The St. Louis team presented a changed line-up. Fisher, the recruit took Demmitt's place in rightfield.

St. Louis	000 100 000—1	8	1
Cleveland	100 000 100—2	6	0

Powell and Stephens; Joss and Clarke.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, April 30.—Three Cincinnati errors counted for as many St. Louis runs today. Harmon held the locals safe at all times, Huggins' home run was the feature.

St. Louis	011 000 020—4	7	0
Cincinnati	100 000 000—1	8	3

Harmon and Phelps; Gaspar, Rowan and Clarke and McLean.

Philadelphia, April 30.—New York made a clean sweep of the series with Philadelphia today, winning the third straight game 9 to 4. Marquard held the Philadelphians to one scratch hit in seven innings. He was put out of the game in the eighth inning for objecting to a decision of Umpire Johnstone's and Crandall succeeded him.

New York	001 026 000—5	15	1
Philadelphia	000 000 040—4	4	3

Marquard, Crandall and Myers and Wilson; Moren, Humphries, Maroney and Dooin and Cheek.

Pittsburg, April 30—Powell held the Chicagoes to two hits and shut them out 1 to 0. Only two Chicago men reached third base. Brown was freely hit, but fine support saved him. Flynn batted in the only run of the game.

Pittsburg	000 100 00x—1	7	1
Chicago	000 000 000—0	2	0

Powell and Gibson; Brown and Needham.

Boston, April 30.—Brooklyn won the final game of the series from Boston 4 to 2 today by bunching hits and taking advantage of the locals' misplays in the ninth inning.

Brooklyn	200 000 002—4	4	0
Boston	101 000 000—2	5	4

Curtis, Burke and H. J. Smith; Barger and Erwin and Bergen.

OTHER GAMES.

Southern League.
At Chattanooga 0; Atlanta 3.
At Nashville 5; Memphis 2.
At New Orleans 3; Birmingham 0.
At Mobile 3; Montgomery 8.

Virginia League.
At Richmond 6; Norfolk 7.
At Portsmouth 10; Danville 6.
At Lynchburg 1; Roanoke 4.

South Atlantic League.
At Augusta 2; Columbus 0.
At Savannah 6; Macon 1.
At Columbia 2; Jacksonville 13.

Eastern League.
At Baltimore 6; Montreal 5.
2nd: Montreal 2; Baltimore 3.
At Jersey City 3; Rochester 1; (10 innings.)
At Providence 7; Buffalo 6.
At Newark 6; Toronto 5.

Carolina League.
At Anderson 21; Greenville 3.
At Greensboro 8; Winston-Salem 0.

College Games.
At Annapolis: Navy 2; West Virginia 0.
At Ithaca: Amherst 4; Cornell 0.
At West Point 1; Columbia 4.
At Ann Arbor: Michigan 7; Ohio Wesleyan 1.
At Cambridge: Harvard 0; Tufts 1.
At Lexington, Va.: Washington & Lee 1; V. P. I. 0; (11 innings.)
At Macon: Georgia Techs 2; Mercer 0.
At New Haven: Yale 5; Pennsylvania 11.
At Durham: Trinity 5; Eastern 4.

ROCKY MOUNT TEAM.

Railroaders Are "Blowing in" for Their Meal Tickets.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., April 30.—"They are blowing in" is the way that the fans and fannies are expressing it, while in terms more delightful, it might be stated that the baseball players are arriving. Manager Phelan was the vanguard arriving last Thursday, while Mack, an outfielder, followed closely upon his heels, arriving Sunday night, while last night the number was added to by three others and today there are five meal tickets outstanding by the local athletic association, and the number will in all probability be greatly added to after the arrival of the afternoon train today, and the night trains tonight.

Players who arrived last week were Morris, the southpaw who came direct from Philadelphia. Along with him came Dubbs, a shortstop and second baseman who was signed by Mr. Mason. He comes from Philadelphia and the semi-professional teams up that way toot him as a player several layers up from the general run. It is stated that he hits and fields nicely. Mr. Munson is the third knight of the diamond that arrived under the shadow of night and he is heralded as "some" pitcher.

Other players who are slated to arrive this afternoon or tonight and who will be seen at practce within a short time, if there is no mishap and the weather is willing, will be Walsh, Gillespie, Creagan, Kenneday, Mulcahey and Gastmire. All of these players are expected to arrive this afternoon, though missed connections may keep them out of the city until tonight.

AS TO FOOTBALL RULES.

Committee Unable to Agree on Changes—Another Meeting Probable.

Philadelphia, April 30.—The National Intercollegiate Football Rules Committee, after wrestling all day with the forward pass and the various plays connected with it, found too many problems unsolved when evening came and instead of making public the entire list of amendments, as Secretary E. K. Hall had expected to do at the close of the afternoon session, had to announce that no definite action had yet been taken.

During the afternoon a sub-committee of five members was appointed to take the rules on which the committee had agreed and codify them.

The only definite action which the committee announced was the report of the sub-committee composed of A. A. Stagg, of Chicago; Dr. W. L. Dudley, of Vanderbilt, and C. W. Savage, of Oberlin, appointed to suggest a plan to control the excesses and eliminate the dangers incident to scholastic football. The committee came to the conclusion that most of the injuries and fatalities, which occurred in football were the result of a lack of proper supervision by school faculties and games between teams not properly matched.

CAROLINA WINS.

Dual Track Meet Yesterday at University With Washington & Lee.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., April 30.—In an intensely exciting and well conducted dual track meet here this afternoon Carolina defeated her rival, Washington & Lee by the score of 64 to 44. The Virginians won from Carolina last year at Lexington by the narrow margin of six points and the Tar Heels went into the meet today determined to eradicate that defeat which they did in grand style.

Carolina won eight first places, five seconds and five thirds, tying for a first and second, while Washington & Lee won three first places, six seconds and seven thirds and tied for a first and second.

The feature of the meet was the half mile run, in which Hoffman, of Carolina, broke the Southern and South Atlantic intercollegiate record, winning the run in 2:02 4-5 seconds.

It was due to the untiring efforts and hard work of Coach Nat J. Cartmell that Carolina defeated Washington & Lee and the student body showed their appreciation of his work by hearty cheers for him after the meet. The entire meet was characterized by good lusty college feeling and the sportsman-like feeling of the contestants was a marked feature.

Next Saturday the State meet will come off in Raleigh and with another good week's work something may be expected from the team that Carolina sends down to the capital.

TOMMY McCARTHY WAS KILLED.

Result of Bout With Moran—Gloom in Pugilistic Circles.

San Francisco, April 30.—Gloom hangs over pugilistic circles here as a result of last night's prize ring fatality when Tommy McCarthy met death in his bout with Owen Moran, the Englishman. Even the arrival of Jack Johnson and the excitement of a personal sizing-up of the big negro failed to lift the sporting fraternity out of its depression.

There is a general feeling that the occurrence may have an effect on the fighting game in California, now practically at its last stand.

Enthusiasts are recalling the dark spots of pugilistic history here. The blow that put McCarthy out last night was identical with the smash that caused the death of Jimmy Franey in his fight with O'Connell ten years ago. The coroner's inquest of McCarthy will be held May 5th and in the meantime Moran and the others arrested in connection with the fight are out on bail.

The affair has served to arouse church and civic associations to renew opposition to the Jeffries-Johnson fight and to present laws governing contests in this State.

Its immediate effect was to cause Johnson to cancel his exhibition appearance tonight for which there had been enormous seat sales.

PENNSYLVANIA WINNER.

Made Clean Sweep of National Relay Championships.

Philadelphia, April 30.—Pennsylvania made a clean sweep of the National relay championships on Franklin field this afternoon winning in fine style the one, two and four-mile contests, the classic events in the relay racing of the college year. The two and four mile races were won in easy fashion, but the one-mile race was a struggle from start to finish among 36 of the fastest quarter milers in the eastern half of the United States. The Eastern athletes took practically all the events.

The star performer of the meet was Ramsdel, Pennsylvania's sprinter, formerly of Texas University. He won his two heats and the final in the 100 yard dash against some of the best short distance men now on the cinder path and ran the last relay in the mile National relay championship. His best time in the dash was 10 seconds flat and for the quarter mile in one mile relay race 49 2-5 seconds. Nine colleges lined up for the one mile relay championship. Pennsylvania, Michigan, Chicago, Virginia, Illinois, Cornell, Dartmouth, Princeton and Massachusetts Techs. Virginia finished eighth. More than 20,000 persons saw the sports and it is declared by officials that it was one of the largest if not the largest crowds that ever saw a college athletic meet in the East. The weather was very warm.

TENNIS TIE MATCHES.

Between United States and British Isles in England.

New York, April 30.—Announcement was made today by the executive committee of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, that the preliminary tie matches between the United States and British Isles in the contest for the Davis cup, the international lawn tennis trophy, will be played at Wimbledon, England. The dates remain to be selected by the English Lawn Tennis Association.

England and the British Isles are the only challengers for the cup now held by Australia.

Beals C. Wright, it was also announced today, will head the American challenging team.

AUTO AND AVIATION MEET.

Interest Taken in Events in Atlanta This Week.

Atlanta, Ga., April 30.—All arrangements for the automobile meet and aviation contest next week are complete. Ralph DePalma with his 190-horse power Fiat arrived tonight. Lyttle has been here several days and tomorrow these drivers and their man-killing cars will be in the city.

Louis Strang, Ray Harroun, Bragg, Kincaid, Autken, Endicott, Freer, Juhas and Tony Soudellarry. Hamilton in a Curtiss biplane will be the star aviator.

JOHN R. SMITH'S SHOWS.

Will Give Daily Exhibition at Greenfield Park This Week.

The John R. Smith's Wild West shows will exhibit this week at Greenfield Park, otherwise known as Greenfield mill pond, as will be noticed from a large advertisement in another column of today's paper. The shows are said to be modern, moral, high-class, unique and novel. The feature is Capt. Geo. M. Burk's high school cake walking horses—Alice, Margie, Belle, Eva and Silvia, blue ribbon winners at Madison Square Garden, New York City. They have some of the best riders of the country with the shows. Among the other features are: Smith's old plantation show, Big 3-in-1 animal show, electric theatre, moving pictures and vaudeville, mammoth snake show, showing poisonous reptiles from all parts of the world, merry-go-round and venetian swings, ferris wheel and human ruolett. Annucu's Royal Italian Band of Naples will furnish music. There will be two exhibitions daily, beginning tomorrow, at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Much interest has been taken in the announcement of the coming of the shows and it is expected that the attendance will be large.

MAY INVITE THE SYNOD.

Question Will be Discussed at St. Paul's Church Today.

At the close of the English service at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church this morning there will be a congregational meeting to decide whether or not an invitation will be extended to the North Carolina Synod to meet in Wilmington next year. It is understood that many members of the Synod desire to meet in this city next year. Rev. W. A. Snyder, the pastor, and Mr. A. D. Wessell will leave early this week for Albemarle to attend the annual meeting of the Synod as representatives of St. Paul's. The subject of the sermon tonight will be "The Power of the Holy Spirit in the Christian." The public cordially invited.

Monday, May 2nd.

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50 Bushels Yellow Onion sets.	50 Tons Lee's Prepared Lime.
25 Bushels Silver Skin Onion sets.	1,000 Bales Fancy Rice Straw.
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WEEK IN ROBESON COUNTY

Very Little Damage by Cold Weather. Nathan Brothers' Shows—Death at Hospital—Personal and General News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., April 30.—After careful inquiry from different sections of the county, we are glad to report that little, if any damage, has been done by the recent cold weather, more than to stop crops of all kinds from growing temporarily. We have heard of a few instances during the week where farmers were replanting their cotton but in these cases it was where the seed were planted early and had not shown any signs of coming up. Considerable fruit is falling off but unless much of it did drop off the trees would be broken to pieces under the loads. The prospects for a good whortleberry crop are also good.

Nathan Brothers' Railroad Shows filled its engagement here yesterday, giving two performances. The afternoon performance was witnessed by large crowds and at night the tent was packed to its capacity. The show was clean and up-to-date and is declared the best of its kind ever seen here. Though Manager Marx Nathan is a native born Lumbertonian, this was his first visit here since childhood. He was warmly greeted by many friends of his family and has the best wishes for great success.

Miss Rose Ashley, one of the most highly esteemed ladies of this section, died at the Thompson Hospital Thursday night after an illness lasting for several months. Miss Ashley was a first cousin of Mrs. J. A. McAllister and an aunt of Dr. W. A. McPhaul. The remains were carried to Leesville where the interment was made yesterday.

Mr. Robert Collins, 35 or 40 years of age, died in East Lumberton last night after a short illness. Mrs. Collins is survived by her husband and a large family of children.

The question is being asked by many, "Is Sandy McKinnon a candidate for Congress?" Your correspondent submits the following letter from him which should settle all questions:

"Having received numerous inquiries as to whether or not I am a candidate for Congress, I have decided to ask you to state as a fact that my name will be presented to the next Congressional convention for nomination as representative from the Sixth district.

"While I would welcome the honor and feel deeply grateful for it, yet it is not my purpose to enter into any unseemly contest over it.

"If nominated I shall make an active campaign and try to acquaint myself with the needs of the people in each county in the district.

"If elected I shall faithful try to be the representative of the whole and every part of the district and do all in my power to promote each and every worthy interest and opportunity."

One of the most pleasant occasions for the little folks which has occurred here in a long time, was the birthday party given by Master William Caldwell on the lawn at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Caldwell, Tuesday afternoon. Seventy-five or a hundred of William's friends were invited and everyone must have been present. After enjoying different kinds of sports on the lawn, refreshments were served, and a real good time was enjoyed by everyone present. All the little ones would like for William to have a birthday at least once a week.

The Kodak friends are getting ready for business. We have seen one or two sighting at the alley running through the block south of the court house. If a health officer or a fire insurance agent should happen to stroll through there some things might change positions and appearances. That alley is refreshing to gaze upon from the offices in the court house.

A meeting of the Civic Association will be held next Friday night at which time it is expected a large number of new members will be admitted. The president, Mrs. R. D. Caldwell, is canvassing the town soliciting new members and it is earnestly hoped she will have the most earnest and hearty co-operation of every man, woman and child in town. This is a work that no one should fail to do all in his or her power for its advancement.

Mr. W. C. Boon left Thursday for Macon, N. C., where he expects to associate himself in the dairy and poultry business with a brother.

Revs. E. M. Hoyle and S. J. McConrad and Messrs. W. H. Humphrey and L. C. Townsend, attended District Conference of the M. E. church at Rockingham this week.

While other county officers to be voted for at the Fall election are being discussed, the county commissioners are coming in for their part, and we have heard the names of Messrs. G. B. Sellars, of Maxton; M. L. Marley, of Lumber Bridge, and R. E. Lewis, of Saddle Tree, mentioned in that connection. These are all good men who would not fail to look out for the interest of the county and its people.

The many friends of Mrs. Marie DeGafferelly were much concerned this week upon learning of her extreme illness. Later information, however, brought the gratifying intelligence that she was very much improved, and hoped soon to be up again. Mrs. DeGafferelly and sister, Miss May Williams, will be engaged during the Summer with the Demarest Comedy Company, who will play park time.

Contractor A. A. Ivey, of this place, has secured the contract for the construction of the flour mill to be erected at Pembroke. Work has already commenced and the building is expected to be completed within 60 days.

The Lumberton Novelty Works, which has been located on Fourth street for the past several years, has been removed to North Lumberton, and will be located at the intersection of the V. & C. S. and Elizabethtown roads.

Messrs. G. P. White and W. K. Todd, contractors of Whiteville, were here yesterday. They have secured the contract for erecting 36 cottages at the new Jennings Cotton Mill, and will begin work within the next few weeks, using a large force of men on the work.

Mr. A. H. Hinds, the Lumberton fresh meat dealer, had an exhibition yesterday a quarter of Western beef weighing 300 pounds. It was viewed by many people who declared it the largest they had ever seen.

While the circus performance was going on last night, Will Rozier and Ben Blount, were taken out of the tent by Policeman Floyd and Caldwell and escorted to the lock-up where they were given lodging until the Mayor could give them a hearing today. There was nothing the matter with them except that the overestimated their capacity for carrying booze and it got the best of them. Later, however, Blount gave bond for his appearance this afternoon and was released. During the night some one succeeded in unlocking the door and released Rozier. He "skipped".

The Virginia and Carolina Southern will erect at once two section houses near the station to be used by the force on the first section.

Quite a number of Pythians went from here last night to assist in the institution of a new lodge at McDonald. The party traveled in automobiles and returned this morning about 5 o'clock. Of course, the boys had a large time

The Mayor of Lumberton was walking around the court house yesterday carrying in his arms several bottles full of something which looked just like beer, but as he refused to let any of his friends even taste it, we are not prepared to say what it was.

The last issue of the Maxton Chief contains the card of Clark of the Court W. H. Humphrey, announcing his candidacy for re-election. Mr. Humphrey is now serving his third term, and has many friends who will be glad to support him for the fourth term.

The town election, which will be held Monday, promises to be a very tame affair until yesterday, when some of the baseball enthusiasts thought that would be a good time to elect a manager for a second team. The tickets were hurriedly printed and are being distributed. The names on the ticket are N. J. Thompson, M. G. McKenzie and J. A. McAllister. Only one can be elected, and the friends of each are very hopeful.

Mr. Earle Carter, salesman for the Lumberton Drug Company, who has been sick for several days, was removed to his home at Maxton yesterday, his father having come down to accompany him home.

Mrs. Leon T. Cook, who has been spending some time with her parents Capt. and Mrs. A. Bicherey, left Thursday for her home in Oklahoma. Mrs. Cook was accompanied by her sister, Miss Martha Bicherey, who will remain, perhaps, for a year.

Mr. Prentis Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barker, who has been confined in the hospital for several days, is reported as slightly improved this morning.

Next Thursday, May 5th, is going to be another big day with the farmers in this county. On that day Congressman Godwin will address the Farmers' Union of Robeson county in Lumberton.

Mr. R. McA. Nixon, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, returned from Raleigh this week, where he had been for several days for treatment for some trouble which resulted from a severe attack of typhoid fever during the past Fall and Winter. Mr. Nixon is greatly improved and hopes in a short time to be in his usual good health.

Miss Helen Stainback entertained a number of friends at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Thomas, Wednesday evening. Those who attended report an evening of much pleasure.

A good many Lumberton people attended the closing exercises of St. Paul's School Wednesday, and are loud in their praises of the exercises and the dinner served. It was a great day for all who were present.

Miss Kittie Proctor entertained the X-X Club at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Proctor, last night. Every member of the club but one was present. A variety of choice refreshments were served, and the occasion was a most enjoyable one.

Mrs. Lizzie Proctor will entertain the Round Dozen Club at her home next Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Misses Mary McNeill and Cora Page left this morning for Raleigh where they will spend a few days visiting friends.

Mr. R. C. Lawrence and family left this morning for Raleigh and Wake Forest for several days' visit in each place.

Mr. Martin Luther McLean, Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court, who has been confined to his room for several days on account of sickness, is again able to be on duty.

Mr. O. L. Clark, Bladen county's candidate for Congress, was a Lumberton visitor today.

A blind tiger case was tried yesterday before Justice Rowland, the defendant living at Marietta. The court thought the evidence sufficient to hold and the defendant gave bond for $100 for his appearance at July court.

After one old vet had papers issued for another old vet for an assault a few days ago, the matter was adjusted this morning and will not go to court.

A Regular Tom Boy

was Susie—climbing trees and fences, jumping ditches, whitling, always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps; burns or scalds. But laws! Her mother just applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve and cured her quick. Heals everything healable—Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Old Sores, Corns or Piles. Try it. 25c at Robert R. Bellamy.

Today.

Cars to the Beach every half hour during the afternoon. **

CLINTON GRADED SCHOOLS.

Annual Closing Exercises Past Week —Sermon and Address.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Clinton, N. C., April 30.—The Clinton Graded Schools had their annual closing exercises this week beginning on Wednesday night and concluding last night. The annual sermon was preached on Wednesday night by Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., of Wilmington, and was a very fine discourse upon the importance of getting true wisdom and knowledge. Dr. Wells emphasized the fact that this generation is heir to all the wisdom and knowledge of the ages, and called attention to the wonderful progress that has been made by the human race in the past century. His sermon was practical and greatly enjoyed.

On Thursday night the literary address was delivered by Rev. W. L. Cunninggim, Presiding Elder of this district. It was a highly interesting and edifying effort. Self respect, which he emphasized as essential to success in all undertakings, was the subject treated and it was handled in a masterly manner. Following his address interesting theses were read by members of the graduatiing class.

On last night which concluded the exercises there was a contest by five young men for the Peterson medal offered by Col. G. L. Peterson. This was won by Mr. James Hubbard. The elocutionist's medal was won by Miss Ethel Chapman. Superintendent Campen announced that the year just closed had been a very satisfactory one during which 300 pupils had been enrolled.

The New Jewelry Store.

Bissinger's new jewelry store, Masonic Temple, is one of the attractions of the city. The many lines of new goods shown is a treat to see, comprising a full line of sterling silver, Sheffield silver, Rogers' silver, solid gold jewelry, fine gold filled novelties, brilliant new designs in cut glass, hammered brass novelties, watches and rings of every description, also a complete line of art pottery. You are cordially invited to visit the new store and would ask a share of your patronage. Expert engraving and watch repairing on short notice. Yours truly,

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Sunday, May 1st, 3:30 P. M.
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Assistant to Pastor Russell, Brooklyn Tabernacle.
Seats Free. No Collection.
All Welcome.
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SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect Saturday, April 30, 1910.

TO THE BEACH.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets, 6:30, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., and 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30, 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina 7:45, 9:15, 10:45, A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:50, 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina, 9:45, 10:45, A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:50, 9:15 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets, 6:30, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Wrightsville, 6:20, 7:55, 8:25, 9:20, 10:55, A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville, 9:55, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE. FRONT AND PRINCESS TO CAROLINA PLACE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess at 6:25 A. M., and every 15 minutes thereafter until 10:37 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess 8:22 A. M., and every 5 minutes thereafter until 10:37 P. M.

TO FRONT AND PRINCESS.

WEEK DAYS—Leave 17th and Market at 6:45 A. M., and every 15 minutes thereafter until 10:45 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave 17th and Market at 8:30 A. M., and every 15 minutes thereafter until 10:45 P. M.

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The contest closes on the night of May 4th, and no more votes may be cast after that time.

Note the standing of the contestants.

	Previous Count	Gain	Present Standing
St. John's Sunday School.....	17,226	2,085	19,311
Mrs. Williams	17,184	838	18,022
Miss Bannerman	12,895	3,119	16,014
Fenley Bros.	6,473	10	6,483
Miss Houston	2,139	25	2,164

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Sunday, May 1st, 1910.

THE WAY OF THE TRANSGRESSOR.

That is a sad and melancholy story which comes from New York that a once wealthy man is to be found among the outcasts of the Bowery. A few days ago a census enumerator found among the derelicts of New York's resort for down-and-outs a man who once had been wealthy and also at one time prominent in the diplomatic service of the United States. Among them he also discovered two former members of Congress and other men who had once upon a time seen better days. The New York story states that some of these unfortunates had occupied high and honorable positions at the bar, in the pulpit, and in the medical and other professions.

The story goes on to say that, surprising as this statement may be, it has its parallel in the case of Edward Morse Field, the story of whose life was again brought into print the past week in New York papers. Field was the favorite son of the famous and wealthy Cyrus W. Field to whom the world is indebted for connecting America and Europe by cable. For fifteen years the younger Field has led the life of a common vagabond and tramp, subsisting oftentimes on the bounty of those who have known him in prosperity and sometimes taken care of by the Salvation Army. A few days ago, destitute and ill, Field was taken to Belleview hospital and it is said that if he lives to leave the hospital he will no doubt show up on the Bowery again to lead the forlorn life which he has been leading among the bums and rakings of creation. He has no visible means of support and his friends long ago abandoned his case as hopeless. Less than 20 years ago, it is said, Field was one of the princes, if not one of the kings of Wall street. He was rich, honored, beloved—beloved most of all by his beautiful wife who was the sister of his wealthy partner, Daniel Lindley, and was the pride of his father who was one of the best known men in the world. When disgrace came to Edward Morse Field it broke his wife's heart and carried his father down in sorrow to a premature grave.

The cause of the pitiful downfall of the derelicts on the Bowery need not be stated, but it shows that men can be one thing today and another tomorrow. The pit-falls lie thick along the path tread by men but it is a credit to humanity that there are people in New York and everywhere else who will extend a hand to the fallen and lift them up, as is shown in the case of Field, whose plight has stirred New York and the entire nation with sincere sympathy.

That is interesting news coming from Piedmont Carolina to the effect that the Dukes will build a trolley railway system connecting many cities in North and South Carolina, and also that they will take hold of the Toxaway region of North Carolina and make it even more attractive as a Summer resort. It means the spending of eight or ten millions of dollars and a development the consequence of which is inconceivable. When the Dukes come to spend their millions at home and interest other capitalists with them, it is a sign that they recognize the possibilities of North Carolina and that the expenditure of capital is all that is necessary to develop resources that are full of promise. If the Messrs. Duke will not be sufficiently entertained by their projects in the Piedmont let them come to tidal North Carolina and we'll make it entertaining for them.

THE ERA OF AGRICULTURE.

It seems that the era of agriculture has arrived, or is about to be revived. The demand for farm food products has outgrown production and there is actual uneasiness in the populous cities of this country over the situation. The scarcity of food products has caused prices to advance and the situation is regarded as sufficiently grave to call for discussion and action. Judging from a meeting held in New York a few days ago a movement is to be started with "back to the farm" as the slogan. The country has had its industrial era and the wonderful industrial development of the country has drawn labor away from the farms. It appears now that an effort is to be made to induce labor to go back and help to feed the country.

In New York a few days ago the Produce Exchange held a conference to consider what may amount to a problem. In an editorial with reference to that meeting the New York Journal of Commerce made some comments of a highly interesting nature. That able journal says:

"The agitation over food prices and the high cost of living has directed attention with renewed emphasis to the decline in agricultural production in this country and the need of improved methods for getting more value from the soil, while restoring its exhausted capacity for production. At the conference held at the Produce Exchange on Wednesday Secretary Wilson and others repeated the familiar tale of the failure of farm production to keep pace with a growing population and the consequent dwindling of the surplus for export until it is in danger of vanishing. As this resource for meeting obligations abroad diminishes the cost of raising food products for home consumption increases and their prices go up under the pressure of increasing demand and relatively decreasing supply. This necessarily affects the cost of production in other industries and impairs ability to compete to advantage with other countries.

"It is not necessary to dwell upon the trite story of the drift of population from the East to the new lands of the West and from the farms of the East and the nearer West to the cities and industrial centers. All this came from an irresistible tendency in human nature and marked an era in the development of a new country. We must realize now that that era is passing and the new one creates a demand for a different movement. We have been building up industrial communities, constructing means of communication and developing trade for a long time. Capital and labor from abroad have been directed into that kind of work and it has drawn native energy, intelligence and ambition from the fields, while the wealth of land has continued sufficient to keep up the supply of food for a multiplying population, with a large surplus to sell abroad, in spite of heedless and improvident methods of cultivation. We are waking up now to the fact that this cannot go on indefinitely. The attention of enterprise and capital, of ambition and education, of science and skill must be turned to the land, and farming must be made an intelligently conducted business. Soils that have been exhausted or impaired in vitality must receive a restorative treatment and land must be cultivated with a view to producing the best results without depreciation or impairment.

"All this is getting to be slowly recognized, but the question is how to get it done. At the Produce Exchange conference, with a preamble summing up the situation in brief terms, a resolution was adopted to the effect that "some definite plan of action should be developed whereby existing facilities for bringing the people to the land and the land to the people may be utilized in the most effective manner;" and that 'every method by legislative or admnistrative order,' tending to assist the farmer to a knowledge and practice of methods best calculated to improve and conserve the soil and to market his products, had the 'cordial approval' and would receive the 'earnest co-operation' of those taking part in the meeting"

It will not require much of a systematic effort to induce labor to go back to the farm if farm products keep on selling at prices that will make agriculture profitable. We have no doubt that prosperity on the farm has come to stay and it means that land values are to be good. It s ridiculous, however, to talk about a scarcity of land in this country, for in eastern North Carolina we have thousands of acres of land in the virgin state and the same can be said of other States. What we really need is the labor to cultivate the lands we have and if necessary to prepare others for cultivation. North Carolina can feed New York if we can get the country developed and revolutionize our agricultural methods.

There is one phaze of this agitation of "back to the farm" and that is, as we have always contended, that it will give value to Southern lands and make land investments as good as gold. With the prevalent notion that land is scarce and the actual necessity for an increase in the farming industry, the man who invests in lands can rest assured that any money that he may salt down in lands will be as safe as if it were in the bank.

Winston-Salem is feeling good over the fact that the Norfolk & Western Railway has established an up-town freight and ticket office in that prosperous city. It is a convenience that will be greatly appreciated by travelers and shippers, and it will be all the more appreciated if people who travel can also arrange at the up-town office for the checking of their baggage. Wilmington needs one just like it. We don't want Winston-Salem putting on any metropolitan airs over us.

READ, YOUNG MAN.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie, the many times millionaire steel magnate, who is so rich that he can't give his money away fast enough in order to accompany his desire "to die poor," says: "I owe everything I have got to my access to books."

No doubt what Mr. Cernegie meant to say was that he read the books to which he had access. A young man may have access to a splendid library at home or may have access to many more books at a public library, but if he does not avail himself of the opportunity to read the books so easily within his reach, he will have nothing added to his store of knowledge and certainly will not get any profit either intellectually or financially from the stores of knowledge that can be so easily drawn upon. The fact is Mr. Carnegie did read books. He did not waste his time "fooling around" and engaging in frivolity and living fast, but he read books which enlightened him and broadened his mind so that he was prepared to meet all the requirements of social and business life. The education and knowledge which he gained fitted him for most any undertaking and it made of him a man well qualified to make the most of those opportunities which come to men in a life time. The well informed man is better able to see opportunities and make the most of them, while the man lacking in information and knowledge might meet those same opportunities in the road and wouldn't know them if they butted into them.

The experience of Mr. Carnegie is but another instance and added evidence of the old adage that "knowledge is power." The example of Mr Carnegie serves us in pointing out the young men of Wilmington, and of ual value of reading. It is hoped that the young men of Wilmngton, and of the communities reached by the Star, do read, but if they do not do so they are hereby enjoined from engaging in a further waste of their time. There is truth in that other old adage "an idle mind is the devil's workshop" but if a young man will be industrious and attend to his duties, or read during his spare moments, he will not have to serve his time in the devil's workshop where the wages are nothing and the job has nothing in it but vexations, trials and disappointments.

Wilmington has a fairly good public library and it affords splendid opportunities to young men for reading. They should not neglect the opportunities offered by that store of knowledge in Wilmington but should consider the privilege beyond price. Reading not only informs a man but educates him. Many a man may be a graduate of some great educational institution but he lacks a great deal of being educated unless he reads and adds to his knowledge. A man who is not a college graduate can read and become a walking encyclopedia compared with the college graduate who does not know any more than he learned at a college or a university. A head full of common sense that is fortified by reading is a hard proposition for a fool to butt up against.

The Star prefers in this way to comment upon what Mr. Carengie said with reference to his indebtedness to books, rather than follow the line of comment in some of our esteemed contemporaries who have seized it as a text for manufacturing political thunder. It may be good stuff for that purpose but we believe that we can make more out of it by making it an example for young men who may be thoughtlessly idling away time that should be devoted to reading and gaining information that may be worth as much to them as it has been to Mr. Carnegie, according to his statement.

LAW ENFORCEMENT.

The Star has never been hasty in condemning conditions or persons upon mere suggestion that things are going wrong, and does not now propose to vary from this policy; but when proof is produced and we are convinced that there are evils to be corrected, we shall always stand for those things which make for good in the community. The efforts which Mayor MacRae is exercising towards the enforcement of the law in the City of Wilmington have the hearty endorsement and co-operation of the Star, and he is entitled to the support of all law abiding citizens. The question of prohibition has passed beyond the domain of discussion, and the sale of whiskey is just as much a crime, in its proportionate degree, as larceny, burglary or murder, and the honor of Wilmington is just as much at stake in enforcing the law against the illegal sale of whiskey as it is against murder or other crimes. The investigation of the mayor under the ad testificandum papers issued by virtue of Section 3721 of the Revisal has developed the alarming fact that single individuals in Wilmington—actual and well known persons, who are not supposed to wear tigers' clothes—are receiving openly, consignments of whiskey in amounts ranging as high as twenty-five and fifty barrels each, and that such deliveries of whiskey continue from time to time. We do not believe in the policy that one man shall say what another man shall eat or drink or wear nor do we think that officials are justified in smelling around to see who has taken a drink, provided the drink has been taken in a legal and decent manner. It is not the duty of officials to teach morals, but to enforce the law, and we congratulate the mayor on the efforts he is exercising in this direction. The conditions which have developed as existing in Wilmington cannot be tolerated or excused by law-abiding citizens, and the offenders should be brought to speedy and exact justice. Whether the conditions are brought about by inefficiency of the officials, or are due to the antiquated legal system which has grown up around the city administration, we are not prepared to say; but if the people are capable of governing themeslves, as we are wont to believe, then they are capable of enforcing the law in Wilmington, unless the majority of us are criminals, and we hardly think we are.

Nobody loves a knocker. Let the knocker knock himself and he will have a good job and do good work for his community. Are you a knocker? If you are a knocker knock yourself and try to do better.

CURRENT COMMENT.

It is not such a long time between drinks in a prohibition State as an outsider might think.—Durham Herald.

It is a hard matter to have complete harmony in any party as long as two men are after the same job.—Durham Herald.

A suffragette has been appointed deputy district attorney in California. That brings on more talk, and you know who will have the last word.—Atlanta Constitution.

Mr. Bryan captured some rare Peruvian animals, but he has no intention of competing with the Roosevelt menagerie in the Smithsonian Institution.—Atlanta Constitution.

No, it's a mistake that there has been an increase in price in all lines of commerce. Note, for instance, the fact that friar lands which the great American government purchased at $18 an acre were recently sold to the sugar trust for $6.50 the acre.—Fort Worth (Tex.) Record.

Mr. McKinlay, the Republican member of Congress, who recently visited this State, is said to have given out a statement on his return to Washington to the effect that the South is well pleased with the tariff. We would like to know, just as a matter of curiosity, where he got his information.—Winston-Salem Journal.

If the present feeling toward Mr. Taft on the part of the public continues he will be known as one of the most unpopular chief executives this country has had. With Democrats and Republicans both criticising him Mr. Taft is doubtless in a position to feel that being President of a great nation is a thankless job, to say the least of it.—Winston-Salem Sentinel.

A brand new religion has been established in New York City. It is said to be based upon the Nicene Creed, and its promoters say it will be nonsectarian, non-denominational and the "true Christian church." Of course it will have a following. New York is so big that anything new can get a following there—and collect money from the followers.—Savannah News.

They told Governor Marshall, of Indiana, that if he opposed the plan of "the organization" he would disturb party harmony. He opposed and defeated the machine's programme in the interest of his party, won his fight, and looms up as Presidential timber. The big men look to the people for approval and demand of party organization that it fight the enemy and do not use its power to fight Democrats.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Government agents uncover jewelry and merchandise frauds to the extent of possibly $2,000,000; a St. Louis bank cashier hypnotizes an assistant United States treasurer out of $8,000; alleged frauds amounting to several millions are disclosed in a suit in the United States Court at Cheyenne, Wyo.; the Heinze trial reveals the "borrowing" by a clerk of $600,000, no security being given for the "loan". Pick up any newspaper any day and you will find many accounts of thievery and fraudulent transactions. What does it mean? Are the American people a nation of robbers? Is there something in our system of government that tends to make men dishonest? Is the government itself in any way to blame for this apaprent general tendency to steal? Has not the example of the government has set of enriching the few at the expense of the many, by means of the tariff, been an influence for corruption? When men see great fortunes piled up by means of governmental favors, such as are contained in Schedule K of the Aldrich-Payne law, whereby certain favored woolen manufacturers are licensed to rob the people, and in the maintenance of the "No. 16 Dutch Standard", brazenly maintained in spite of its exposure on the floor of the Senate, by which the Sugar Trust is enabled to take its share of loot from the table of every man in this broad land—when they see high-handed robbery not only countenanced but legalized by the State, it seems natural for them to say "we want ours, too", and proceed to take it.—Baltimore Sun.

The damage done cotton by the cold wave is much greater than it was at first thought to be. In some localities nearly all the fields will have to be replanted. In others fully 50 per cent. of the cotton has been destroyed. In many localities the farmers are said to be so disheartened that they will plough under their cotton and plant corn. A big incentive to replanting is the high price of cotton. It is safe to assume, therefore, that nearly the whole of the area damaged will be replanted, provided cotton seed can be obtained. The mills which have stocks of seed have expressed their willingness to supply it at about cost prices, since they are almost as deeply interested in having a good cotton crop this year as the planters themselves are. If the crop should be cut off one-fourth some of the mills would have to close down. The farmers have met with a great misfortune and the cotton seed mills ought to giv them all the encouragement the ycan by supplying them with seed to the extent of their ability. And it is rather remarkable that the price of cotton has advanced so little. Either the spinners and speculators do not think that the damage is as great as reported or they believe that the farmers will be able to replant practically all of their fields, and that the crop this year will be an average one. Ordinarily such widespread injury to the crop would have sent the price of cotton sky-high, as it were. If the farmers are not successful in getting an abundant supply of seed it is a safe prediction that we shall see the price of cotton much higher than it has been at any time during the current season. If all the seed that is needed is forthcoming, the South may soon recover from what is undoubtedly a great disaster.—Savannah News.

STRANGE DISAPPEARANCE.

White Woman Leaves Home—May Have Committed Suicide.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., April 30.—Assuring her 12-year-old daughter that she was going to take her own life in order to get out of her troubles and writing a letter to the Mayor of the city requesting that her children be cared for until her husband arrived, and that he be notified, Mrs. Josephine Whitfield disappeared yesterday afternoon from her home at No. 323 South Church street. After an all-night and part of today's search by the police of the city, they have been unable to find the woman. She leaves four small children, the oldest of which is 12 years, and it was to this daughter that she has frequently made the remark that she was going to accomplish her own destruction preferably by drowning in Tar river. The trouble seems to have arisen from the fact that her husband has practically deserted her and that she has undergone great hardships in the care of her family for the past several months.

Last night after Mayor Thorne received the following letter he went immediately to the home and found the house deserted, while the four children had been carried to a home nearby by a friendly neighbor who had been attracted by their cries as the darkness came on.

The husband is a member of a well-to-do family who live near Nashville and he has several brothers and sisters. The young woman is the daughter of a well-to-do planter of the Sexton's store section of Nash county, which is near Castalla, not far from the boundary line of Franklin county.

MURDER IN WAYNE.

Tragedy in Colored Family in Granthaus Township.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., April 30.—News reached the city last night reporting a brutal murder in Granthaus township, the victim being Albert Sykes, a highly respected colored man. Today's Goldsboro Record gives the story as follows:

"While working in the field of Mr. J. H. Griffith, on the plantation of Mr. J. M. Grantham, Friday afternoon of last week about 3 o'clock Shep Smith, a colored man of notorious character and who had degraded one of Sykes' daughters, became angry with the old man because he had promised to prosecute him for his crime. Nursing hatred in his heart, he went to the field where Sykes was at work and calling him to the fence pulled a pistol from his coat pocket where it was concealed and deliberately shot him down. After the shooting Smith made good his escape and up to this writing has not been captured.

Bulletin—A fine flowing stream of pure water has been reached by our well digger at Winter Park Heights. The finest suburb between Wilmington and the Beach. ma 1-4t.

Monday, May 2nd.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank Monday, May 2nd, will bear interest from May 1st. **

Annual May Sale!

Monday, May 2nd

To Saturday, May 7th

One week of extraordinary bargain givings. A great money-saving opportunity.

Remember the place, the time, the date. Come to Rehder's early and often. These are just a few of the bargains that await you:

10 yards unbleached Homespun, May Sale.....39c
10 yards 7c one yard wide white Homespun May Sale 49c
10 yards 5c Bleaching, May Sale 39c
10 yards 10c Bleaching, May Sale 75c
10 yards Lonsdale Cambric, May Sale 79c
$10.00 Black Voile Skirt May Sale $6.75
25c Short Kimonas, May Sale 15c
75c to $2.00 Straw Hats (men's) May Sale...48c
Boys' Blue Serge Pants, May Sale 47c

65c Muslin Gowns, Drawers and Skirts, May Sale 48c
12 1-2c white striped Madras, the yard 9 1-2c
$1.25 English Long Cloth, 12 yard to piece for 95c
72x90 Sheets, May Sale.,.....39c
90x90 Fruit of the Loom Sheets 89c
10c Linen Torchon Lace, the yard 4c
35c Japonika Silks, 27-in. wide, May Sale all the week 22 1-2c
15c Killarney Linen Suiting, May Sale.....10c

Light Cotton Comforters for the Beach, only $1.45.

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THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

Best Millinery Department in the city. Specia Bargains this week

THE FIRM THAT PAYS YOUR CAR FARE.

Every Thursday AT 4:30 p. m.

Somebody Wins a 41 Piece Dinner Set. If you will spend your CASH With Us You can WIN ONE.

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128 to 138 S. Front St. Wilmington, N. C.

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Is showing a full line of Axminster, Smyrna, Crex and Jute Rugs in all sizes; Linoleum and Oil Cloth, Upholstery Goods and Draperies; new line of Mattings.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department—Tailored Suits, Wash Suits, Separate Skirts, Muslin Underwear, Dressing Sacques and Kimonas, Tailored and Lingure Shirt Waists.

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases—We have just received a full line of Cane Suit Cases and Club Bags. We will be pleased to have you give us a call before making your purchases.

Agents for Black Cat Hosiery, American Lady Corsets and Butterick's Patterns. Out-of-town orders will receive prompt attention.

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Pale Export BEER

This is to notify our customers that they can secure this popular brand by sending their orders to Petersburg, Va.

4 Doz. Bottles F. O. B. Petersb'g, $3.00.
10 Doz. Bottles F. O. B. Petersb'g, $7.50.

DARLEY PARK BREWING COMPANY
G. MORGAN KNIGHT, Manager. PETERSBURG, VA.

LOCALS WON FROM VISITORS

Donaldson Military School Defeated by Wilmington High School in Close Game at League Park Yesterday.

Some 200 enthusiastic baseball fans journeyed to League Park yesterday afternoon to witness the defeat of the Donaldson Military School baseball team by the Wilmington High School boys to the tune of 3 to 1. It was a splendid exhibition of the National sport and those who saw the contest say that it was the next best to witnessing the professional article.

The Fayetteville boys arrived in the city yesterday afternoon on the Seaboard Air Line and will return to their homes this morning. They were entertained yesterday and last night in the homes of the different members

The game was a pitchers' battle from start to finish in which Davis, the crack local pitcher, had the better of it. Davis struck out 11 men and allowed only three hits, while his opponent, McFall, struck out 13 men, but allowed four hits. The game was featured by the batting of Taylor for Wilmington. He got two hits out of three times at bat, the batting of McFall for the visitors, two hits out of four times up, and the hit by Hardin to deep centre, which decided the contest, two runs being made. Both teams were in good condition and showed the splendid work of their coach, and especially the pitchers, who were in the best possible form. The game was most satisfactorily umpired by Mr. J. Ed Smith, owner of the local franchise in the East Carolina Association.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilmington	AB	H	R	O	A	E
Stein, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	1
Blue, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor, ss	3	2	1	1	1	1
Davis, p	1	0	2	1	5	0
Smith, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
R. Burnett, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	0
Hardin, rf	3	1	0	2	0	0
Lord, 3b	3	1	0	1	0	1
C. Burnett, c	3	0	0	12	0	0
Total	24	4	3	27	8	3

Donaldson	AB	H	R	O	A	E
Campbell, ss	2	0	1	0	1	0
Huske, 1b	3	1	0	7	0	1
McNeil, c	4	0	0	12	0	1
McFall, p	4	2	0	1	1	0
Broadfoot, 2b	4	0	0	2	0	1
Bike, 3b	3	0	0	2	3	0
McDonald, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Hubbard, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Grady, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	3	1	27	5	3

The game was played in an hour and forty minutes.

CASES WERE DISMISSED.

Messrs. Runge and Costin Not Liable for License Taxes.

Recorder John J. Furlong yesterday morning rendered his decision in the cases against G. W. Runge and D. E. Costin, tried some days ago on the charge of doing a near-beer business within a mile of the city limits, without paying the required license tax. The cases were dismissed, the Recorder holding that there was no question of the power of the Aldermen to levy a tax on businesses, trades and professions, within a mile of the city limits, but that they had failed to exercise this power in adopting the tax ordinance, under which the warrants were sworn out. In other words, the charter gives the city jurisdiction a mile beyond the city limits, but in order to exercise this provision of the charter the Aldermen must adopt a specific ordinance to this effect. The defendants were represented by Walter P. Gafford, Esq., and the city by City Attorney Herbert McClammy. Mr. McClammy requested that the Recorder render a special judgment which would give the State a right to appeal to Superior Court, but Mr. Gafford objected and under the law the Recorder could not render a special verdict without the consent of both sides to the controversy. Mr. Gafford objected on the ground that his client, Mr. Runge, should not be required to go through the court on a criminal warrant for the purpose of making a test case, contending that a test case should be in the nature of a civil action.

Jane Howard, colored, who was gloriously drunk at Fifth and Market streets, Friday afternoon, giving the police officers much trouble in conveying her to the city prison, was fined $5 and costs, Two small white boys, charged with an affray, were let off upon payment of the costs.

MRS. CAROLYN CHADWICK DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday Afternoon After a Lingering Illness.

Many friends will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Carolyn Chadwick, wife of Mr. Joseph Chadwick, which occurred at the family residence, No. 714 North Third street, at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after an illness of eight months, suffering from tuberculosis. Mrs. Chadwick was 67 years old and is survived by her husband and one son, Mr. E. A. Chadwick, of Wilmington. She was a consistent member of Bladen street Methodist Church for many years and was a most estimable wofan. She will be greatly missed in the home and in the church. The funeral services will be held from Bladen Street Church at 4 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. L. Rexford, the pastor, and the interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

A Man Wants to Die

only when a lazy liver and sluggish bowels cause frightful despondency. But Dr. King's New Life Pills expel poisons from the system; bring hope and courage; cure all Liver, Stomach and Kidney troubles; impart health and vigor to the weak, nervous and ailing. 25c at Robert R. Bellamy's.

Your last opportunity at Winter Park Heights, Friday, May 6th, 11 A. M. Free street cars leave Front and Princess streets at 11 A. M. ma 1-4t

Manufacturers' Outlet Sale all next week at Polvogt's. Read advertisement. **

Eight Day Sale.

Knowledge is money. Keep Gaylord's eight day sale in your mind. **

DECIDE AGAINST PROJECT

Reports of Engineers Relative to Deepening of Northeast River Above Hilton Bridge Received Here Yesterday.

The Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Washington, D. C., has made an unfavorable report on the proposition to deepen the Northeast river above Hilton Bridge petitioned for by the Swift Fertilizer Works. The report of the engineers, together with a letter of the Secretary of War to Congress, transmitting with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, reports on preliminary examination and survey, from its mouth for a distance of two and a half miles, with a view of securing the desired depth of 20 feet, was received at the office of Capt. Earl I. Brown, United States Engineer, yesterday morning.

The estimate of Captain Brown for the project was given to the Chief of Engineers as follows: "For a channel 18 feet deep at mean low water and 150 feet wide from Hilton bridge in Northeast branch to a point 2 1-2 miles above the mouth at Wilmington, which is 1 1-4 miles above the bridge, it is estimated that 150,000 cubic yards, place measurement, of dredging would be required, allowing one foot for excess depth and side slopes of one to one. At 12 1-2 cents per cubic yard this work would cost $18,750. To extend this cut up the river to the 18-foot contour would require dredging over an additional 900 feet in length, or 62,000 cubic yards, allowing for excess dredging and side slopes. At 12 1-2 cents per cubic yard, the cost would be $7,750, or a total of $26,500."

After taking everything into consideration the Board of Engineers in concluding a long report to the Chief of Engineers, says: "There appears to be no reason to believe that the river above Hilton bridge will be utilized for general commercial purpose in the near future, and the board does not believe that the United States would be justified in extending the harbor facilities above Hilton bridge for the almost exclusive benefit of two concerns, especially in view of their unwillingness to co-operate in the work. The board, therefore, reports that in its opinion the Northeast branch of the Cape Fear river, from its mouth for a distance of 2 1-2 miles, is not worthy of improvement by the United States at this time to a greater extent than contemplated by the existing project. In compliance with the provisions of section 13 of the act of March 3, 1909, the Board expresses the opinion that there are no questions of terminal facilities, water power, or other related subjects which could be so co-ordained with the project herein considered for the improvement of this locality, as to render the work advisable in the interests of commerce and navigation."

Col. W. L. Marshall, Chief of Engineers, in submitting the report of the Board to the Secretary of War, says among other things: "I concur with the district officer, the division engineer and the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors that this locality is not worthy of improvement by the United States further than as contemplated by the existing project."

MAJOR LUCAS' DEPARTRUE.

Formed Business Connection With His Brother in New York.

In connection with Major E. W. VanC. Lucas' retirement from the firm of Hugh MacRae & Company, as announced in another column of today's paper, Major Lucas, when seen yesterday, stated that he has become associated with his brother, Mr. Herbert Lucas, well known among the younger architects of New York City, and will take charge of the business end and engineering work connected with Mr. Lucas' large clientele. The business of Architect Lucas has steadily grown and expanded and he is today regarded as one of the most prominent of the younger architects of the metropolis.

Major Lucas has very satisfactory prospects of success in the new field of work and is much pleased with the outlook, his great regret being the necessity of his leaving Wilmington as his place of residence. For the past 18 years he has spent a greater portion of his time as a resident of Wilmington and had until recently expected to spend the remainder of his life here. Major Lucas was assistant United States Engineer of this district for about three years and was United States Engineer in charge a number of years he was connected with the United States Engineering Corps, and resigned a few years ago to make Wilmington his permanent home. However, the great opportunities and possibilities of the metropolis appealed to him so strongly that he decided to locate in New York City. Major Lucas will likely take advant age of every opportunity of returning here to see his many good friends and many are hoping that he will return here to make his permanent home.

Major Lucas and family will leave this evening for New York City to take up their permanent residence there and the very best wishes of hundreds of colse friends will go with them.

Lion Fondles A Child.

In Pittsburg a savage lion fondled the hand that a child thrust into his cage. Danger to a child is sometimes great when least regarded. Often it comes through Colds, Croup, and Whooping Cough. They slay thousands that Dr. King's New Discovery could have saved. "A few doses cured our baby of a very bad case of croup," writes Mrs. George B. Davis, of Flat Rock, N. C., "We always give it to him when he takes cold. It's a wonderful medicine for babies." Best for Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hemorrhages, Weak Lungs. 50c. $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

Remember, that the proceeds from the highest priced lot at Winter Park Heights goes to the Jas. Walker Memorial Hospital through the King's Daughters. ma 1-4t.

Today.

Cars to the Beach every half hour during the afternoon. **

THE IMPROVED RIVER LIGHTS

Appropriation Included in House Bill and Aids to Navigation Are Now Assured—Good Work of Board.

The gratifying intelligence that the Senate bill, appropriating $21,000 for improved lights and signals for the Cape Fear river, an end most earnestly sought for nearly two years by the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, had been included in the House bill and will now without a doubt be passed, was contained in a letter yesterday to Mr. James Sprunt, the chairman, from Senator Lee S. Overman.

It will be recalled that recently Mr. Sprunt, Capt. John W. Harper, members of the Board, and Pilot J. W. Craig visited Washington and appeared before the Committee, urging the needs of the port in the respect named, and that Mr. Mann, of the committee, promised that the item in the bill would be retained. Mr. Overman in his letter to Mr. Sprunt says that it gives him much pleasure to say that Mr. Mann has kept his promise and has had the item of $21,000 for improved lights and signals in the Cape Fear river included in H. R. 249777, as will be observed from the memorandum enclosed to Mr. Sprunt.

The committee which visited Washington made a strong presentation of their case, Mr. Sprunt, Capt. Harper and Capt. Craig quoting concrete instances of the needs of these better aids to navigation from Wilmington to the sea. Capt. Harper and Capt. Craig presented most forcibly the practical side of the question as illustrated in their own experiences and Mr. Sprunt's intimate knowledge of the history and development of the port coupled with the fact that no man is better posted as to the shipping interests, was a powerful leverage with the committee, which has borne fruit.

The splendid accomplishments of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage during the past few years is a subject of remark in marine circles and their latest evidence of "results" is a matter of congratulation to its members and to the port of Wilmington generally.

CARDS AND SUB-STATION.

New Time Cards on Letter Boxes—Re-established the Station.

The following announcement relative to new time cards and Postal Sub-Station No. 1, was made yesterday by Postmaster Wallace, of the Wilmington postoffice:

"The attention of the public is called to the fact that new time cards have been placed in the front of every letter box in the city, showing the exact time that mail is collected from each box, both on week days and Sundays. Keep posted as to the collection hours from the box nearest your residence.

"The penalty for tampering with a mail box, lock, or contents is noted on each card, and applies with equal force for defacing the card.

"Postal Sub-Station No. 1, which was discontinued last August, has been re-established, and is now located in the store of the Hanover Drug Co., at corner of Seventh and Castle streets.

"A well assorted stock of postal supplies will be kept on hand at all times, and money order and registry business will be transacted between the hours of 7 A. M. and 10 P. M. daily, except Sunday."

FREE BIBLE LECTURE.

"Man's Past, Present and Future in the Light of the Bible."

A free Bible lecture will be given this afternoon at 3:30 P. M. in Germania Hall, 22 South Front street, by Walter H. Bundy, V. P. M., assistant to Pastor Russell, of the Brooklyn Tabernacle. Seats are free, there will be no collections and all will be welcome. His subject will be "Man's Past, Present and Future in the Light of the Bible."

Mr. Bundy is a splendid speaker, a man of marked ability, having lectured in all the principal cities of this country and Canada and well over the English speaking world. His presentation, with scriptural substantiation, will prove of great interest to the thoughtful mind. The lecture is entirely free.

MANUFACTURERS' OUTLET SALE.

C. W. Polvogt Company Inaugurate Big Merchandise Event.

Readers of the Star are invited to read the advertisement of the C. W. Polvogt Co., which will begin its big Manufacturers' Outlet Sale tomorrow. Special attractive bargains are advertised throughout the store; also daily special sales are held each day. On Monday the offering is a $5 Silk Taffeta underskirts in black or colors for $2.98; on Tuesday a $2 straw suit case for $1.15 and such values are offered throughout the sale. The reader is invited to see the advertisement which may be found on another page to today's paper.

Early Snaps and Potatoes.

Mr. T. E. Davis, of No. 314 North Seventh street, is one of the first of the season again this year with vegetables from his garden. Yesterday he brought to the Star office some well matured Irish potatoes and snap beans. Mr. Davis is ahead of his last year's record and will have early corn from his garden before the 15th of May.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Hugh MacRae & Co. and Major E. W. VanC. Lucas announce Major Lucas' retirement on April 26th from the firm of Hugh MacRae & Co., which will hereafter consist of Messrs Hugh MacRae and M. F. H. Gouverneur.

May 1, 1t.

Monday, May 2nd.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank Monday, May 2nd, will bear interest from May 1st. **

Attend the sale at Polvogt's this week. **

Read Gaylord's "ad". You have never read one like it. **

RECORDER IS ASKED TO ACT

Matter of Enforcing Prohibition Law Put Up to Trial Justice by Mayor MacRae, Upon Advice Attorney J. O. Carr.

Acting upon the suggestion of J. O. Carr, Esq., attorney for the citizens' Law Enforcement Committee, who advised that the Mayor had proceeded as far as his power would admit in the matter of investigating the alleged wholesale violations of the prohibition law in Wilmington, Mayor Walter G. MacRae yesterday morning, following a conference in his office with a number of prominent citizens, sent to Recorder John J. Furlong a transcript of the testimony taken at the inquiries held recently under the direction of the Mayor, the same to be used by the Recorder in the way that appears proper to him under advice. The Mayor also enclosed copy of the letter he received from Mr. Carr.

It is understood that Recorder Furlong feels that there is nothing in the testimony upon which he could issue a warrant unless an affidavit is made and that he has or will state his views relative to the matter in a letter to the Mayor acknowledging receipt of the transcript of evidence. The Recorder would not make any statement for publication when seen yesterday afternoon, saying that any statement he had to make would be contained in the letter he would forward to Mayor MacRae. The letter of Mayor MacRae to Recorder Furlong is as follows:

"Wilmington, N. C., April 30, 1910.

"Mr. John J. Furlong, Recorder, Wilmington, N. C.

"Dear Sir:—I beg to hand you herewith a transcript of evidence brought out by me under an examination conducted by virtue of Section 3721 of the Revisal, which evidence shows conclusively a persistent and flagrant violation of the law in New Hanover county with reference to the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

"It has been my purpose in making this examination and obtaining this evidence to go as far as I am permitted in order to enforce the law, and break up, if possible, the sale of whiskey in the city of Wilmington.

"On the investigation of the deliveries by the railroads to various and sundry parties, it was contended in the argument of Hon. John D. Bellamy, who represented the Seaboard Air Line Railway that neither had authority to make this investigation, nor to issue warrants and try criminal cases. The opinion of Mr. J. O. Carr, who is advising me in this matter, is the same as to my right to issue warrants and try cases, but he holds that I have the right to make the investigation for the purpose of ascertaining the evidence necessary to bring the guilty parties to justice, and this view seems to me to be sound. I enclose herewith a copy of a letter from him advising me as to this matter. I am satisfied that I have gone as far as I can go under legal authority, and inasmuch as the Recorder's Court Act vests you with exclusive jurisdiction to issue warrants and try cases for violation of the law, I hand this evidence to you to the end that you may proceed as you are advised is proper.

"Yours truly,

"WALTER G. MacRAE, Mayor."

The letter of Mr. Carr to the Mayor, a copy of which was sent to the Recorder, is as follows:

"April 30th, 1910.

"Hon. Walter G. MacRae, Mayor of City of Wilmington, Wilmington, N. C.

"Dear Sir:—After a careful consideration of the legal questions involved in the investigation which you are making with reference to the illegal sale of whiskey in the city of Wilmington, I wish to say that I am of the opinion, and advise you, as follows:

"1. I am thoroughly satisfied that there is no question about your authority to subpoena and examine under oath any witnesses who come within the provisions of Section 3721 of the Revisal, who can give you any evidence, circumstantial or direct, which would lead to the conviction of the parties who are violating the law with reference to the illegal sale of whiskey. The examinations, which you have already held have produced evidence pointing out clearly places where intoxicating liquors are sold contrary to law, and the purpose of the statute is to enable a mayor, or any other officer named therein, to obtain evidence concerning such places.

"2. Prior to the enactment of the law known as the 'Recorder's Court Law' of New Hanover county, the mayor had full authority and power to issue warrants upon the evidence brought out under the provisions of Section 2721, and to bring such parties to trial before him. The enactment of the 'Recorder's Court Law' placed the exclusive jurisdiction to try cases for the illegal sale of whiskey in the hands of the Recorder, and you now have no authority to issue warrants, make raids, or bring the guilty parties to trial. The Recorder has full power to carry on the same investigation that you have been carrying on, and the additional power to issue warrants and direct a raid on these places, and to try and to punish the guilty parties.

"I therefore advise you that there is nothing further you can do with reference to enforcing the law in New Hanover county, as the warrants must be issued by the Recorder, and arrests made by the police; but I suggest that you furnish a transcript of the evidence to the Recorder so that he may proceed thereon and have the parties duly arrested and tried.

"Yours truly,

J. O. CARR, Attorney."

The above correspondence does not necessarily mean that the Mayor will cease in his campaign against "blind tigers", it was pointed out yesterday by one in a position to know, but really marks the formal beginning of a crusade that it is hoped will grow to such proportions that the number of whiskey joints in the city will be considerably reduced. It is understood that a mass of additional evidence has been secured and it is very likely that some action will be taken against the "tigers" during the present week.

There appears to be a difference of opinion by the lawyers as to the power of the Recorder to constitute himself a "raiding officer" and then sit in judgment upon the cases. They point out that it is the duty of the Recorder to issue warrants upon affidavit and in the absence of an affidavit he cannot issue one. They say that the police officers, who are now under the direction of the Mayor and not the Recorder, could go to the Recorder and secure warrants upon information and belief, then make raids upon the places under suspicion. They say further that it is the business of the Recorder to sit in judgment upon cases that are brought before him and that the police department is maintained for the purpose of running down violators of the law.

ANNUAL MAY SALE.

Big Merchandising Week at Big Store of J. H. Rehder & Co. This Week.

Attention of the readers of The Star is called to the announcement of the big annual May Sale which will be inaugurated this week at the big store of J. H. Rehder & Co., on North Fourth street. The advertisement quotes rare bargains in many departments with special offerings on different days that the careful buyer cannot afford to miss. The advertisement speaks for itself and it is commended to the readers of The Star.

BRUTAL CRIMINAL ASSAULT

Ten-Year-Old Colored Girl at Seventeenth and Dock Streets the Victim—Thos. Green, Alias Jim Glasgow Sought.

Until an early hour this morning the police and a large company of colored citizens, outraged at the occurrence, were searching in vain for a negro named Thomas Green, alias Jim Glasgow, driver of a coal cart in the city and said to be a resident of Scott's Hill, wanted badly for a brutal criminal assault last night shortly before 11 o'clock at Seventeenth and Dock streets, the victim being the 10-year-old daughter of Emma Newland, a respectable colored woman.

The little girl and two younger children were left in the house alone by the mother who went down town to pay her rent early last night. The negro, it appears, was known at the home and he came there last night, broke in the rear and horribly outraged the child, Dr. John C. Wessell being summoned hurriedly when the negro man's atrocious crime had been discovered. The child had been badly choked and her face showed unmistakable signs of the fearful experience through which she had gone. The police station was immediately notified and Assistant Chief Burnett detailed Sergeant Howell to make an investigation, being joined by Mounted Officers Joe Lane and B. W. Jacobs, who gave their undivided search until an early hour this morning to the negro, who seems to have made his escape. There is a report that he came to the city from Scott's Hill and that end of the clue will be investigated. He is described as a yellow negro, freckled face with a defect in one eye. In addition to the police a large number of colored residents in the neighborhood have joined in the search and it was stated in the vicinity of the house last night that he would be summarily dealt with if he was overtaken first by the colored people, who are greatly outraged at the crime.

Y. M. C. A. DEFEATED PIRATES.

Interesting Contest on Junior Baraca Class Diamond.

The David G. Worth Bible Class team in the Y. M. C. A. defeated the Pirates, an Atlantic Coast Line team, by the score of 11 to 5 at the Junior Baraca diamond yesterday afternoon. Both teams played fine ball, considering the fact that the baseball season is just beginning. The game was featured by the magnificent pitching of T. Taylor, 10 men failing to connect with his delivery. J. Fowler pitched good ball for the Pirates and with proper support will be able to hold his own with the best amateur twirlers. Delmar's stick work proved a winner for the Y. M. C. A. boys, two 2-base hits at the proper time, netting four runs.

TWO WERE CONVICTED.

Taxed With Costs for Using Shadeland Dairy Bottles.

Two defendants were tried in Justice Harriss' court yesterday morning on the charge of using milk bottles belonging to the Shadeland Dairy and were found guilty. Judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs. Capt. J. D. Bowen, proprietor of the Shadeland Dairy ,stated last night that he had his bottles registered with the Clerk of the Superior Court and that this gives him the right to have all wagons and other milk-carrying vehicles searched if he has reason to believe that his bottles are being used by them. Captain Bowen said that he intended to bring indictment against every person found using his bottles, whether they be dairymen or individuals.

CATHERINE KENNEDY HOME.

Contributions by Friends During April. Monthly Meeting.

The contributions to the Catherine Kennedy Home during the month of April are as follows: Mrs. Nichols, beef roast; Mrs. Frank, magazines; Mrs. E. N. Penny, $2.00; a friend, coffee; Sorosis committee, bread, cake and coffee; Mrs. Frank, syrup, lard, canned food; Mrs. Joe Kahn, crackers, pears, butter; Mrs. Blumenthal, flour, lard, syrup, cooking oil; Mrs. Isabel Savage, flour and syrup; Cape Fear Golf Club, lunch; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, hominy, soap, prunes; Mrs. Hicks Bunting, drugs; Mr. Robert Bellamy, drugs.

The monthly meeting will be held Tuesday, May 3rd, at 5 P. M.

Monday, May 2nd.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank Monday, May 2nd, will bear interest from May 1st. **

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, etc

Miss Charlotte Styron and Mrs. W. H. Diehm will spend today at Bolton as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Wolfe.

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An important meeting of the Hospital Circle of the King's Daughters will be held at the Colonial Inn on Monday at 10 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

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Mr. Newett D. Edwards and bride, formerly Miss Clara Bornemann, returned yesterday from a visit to Mr. Edwards' relatives at Greenville, N. C., and will reside at 315 South Fifth street.

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For the benefit of the I. O. O. F. Orphanage at Goldsboro a May Festival will be given under the auspices of Letitia Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, at the Boys' Brigade Armory on Tuesday night, May 3rd. The admission will be only five cents.

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The Choral Society of Wilmington will hold its regular rehearsal in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening at 8 o'clock promptly in preparation for the Musical Festival which will be held early in June. A business meeting of utmost importance will follow the rehearsal and every member is urged and expected to be present.

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FORMER CITIZEN WEDS IN MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN.

Many friends in this city of Mr. Harris Lane, for some time a resident of Wilmington, will be interested in the following which appeared in The Milwaukee (Wis.) Sentinel of April 23rd: "The marriage of Miss Edith B. Potter to Harris Lane, Newbern, N. C., was solemnized at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Charles B. Porter, 625 Downer, avenue, in the presence of immediate relatives, the Rev. Frederick Edwards officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Lane left for a trip through the South." Mr. Lane resided here for some time until about two months ago, when he was transferred to Newbern.

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ORGAN RECITAL AT ST. JAMES' CHURCH WEDNESDAY

The Music Department of the North Carolina Sorosis has made arrangements with Prof. Geo. L. Johnson to give an organ recital at St. James' Episcopal Church on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Members of Sorosis are especially invited and all music loving people will be welcome. The programme has been arranged in chronological order, beginning with Bach and Handel and continuing up to the best composers of organ music at the present time. The following is the programme:

Chorus, Zadock the Priest....Handel
Great Fugue in G Minor.... J. S. Bach
Adagio and Vinace (Sonata in F.... Minor) ..... Mendelssohn
(a) Caprice (b) Marche Funebre and Chant Seraphique..... Guilmant
Chant Nuptiale.....Petrah
Fantasia Concertante..... Lemaigre
Andante, (Sonata in C Minor)..... .....Van Eyken
Romance ..... Lemare
Rondo ..... Hollins

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Friends in this city have received handsomely engraved invitations bearing the following announcement of interest to a large number of friends here and elsewhere;

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Harrison
request the pleasure of your company
at the marriage of their daughter
Maude Evans
to
Mr. D. Wilbourn Davis
on Wednesday evening, May the eleventh
nineteen hundred and ten
at eight o'clock
Nathaniel Jacobi Memorial Building
Goldsboro, North Carolina.

Both Miss Evans and Mr. Davis were pupils of the Odd Fellows' Orphans Home. Miss Evans was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harrison, and Mr. Davis, shortly after leaving the home, entered the employment of the N. Jacobi Hardware Company, and is now one of their most valuable salesmen. Mr. Davis is also a Past Grand of Cape Fear Lodge No. 2. The many friends of this popular couple wish them a bright and happy future.

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PIANO RECITAL GIVEN IN SCHUBERT'S HALL.

The pupils of Miss Cannie Chasten gave a most thoroughly delightful piano recital in Schubert's Half yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. They were assisted by Miss Harbeson, soprano, who sang in a very sweet and charming style Godard's Berseuse from Jocelyn. The programme was as follows:

Mozart.....Sonato D. Major No. 13. (first movement)
Agnes Hall Casten.
Schumann..... Warum? (Why?)
.. Katie Chestnutt.
Turner.....Marche Grotesque (from Christmas Suite)
Madge Southerland.
Godard.....Barseuse (from Jocelyn)
Miss Harbeson.
Grieg..Troldtog (march of the dwarf)
.. Madge Southerland.
DeBussey ..... Reverie.
Sibelius....Impromptu Op. 24 No. 1.
Agnes Hall Chasten.

The recital reflected great credit upon those who took part and demonstrated the splendid work of Miss Chasten as teacher.

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GRADUATION EXERCISES AT THE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

The graduation exercises of the nurses, who have completed their course at the James Walker Memorial Hospital will take place on Thursday, May 5th, on the lawn in front of the hospital building at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Board of Managers desire to extend to the public an invitation to be present and witness this interesting exercise. There will be three young ladies to graduate and receive their diplomas and it will be a satisfaction to them to have their friends and acquaintances present and the visitors will enjoy those exercises. There will be an interesting programme and a reception after the exercises at the Nurses' Home.

The following compose the graduating class: Miss Helen Elizabeth Houston, of Spartanburg, S. C.; Miss Helen Earnestine Vick, of Elm City, N. C.; Miss Addie Howerton Jones, of Wilmington, N. C.

The following order will be observed:

Music—Selections by orchestra.
Invocation by Rev. Dr. Mendelsonn.
Address by Mr. E. S. Martin.
Music—Selection by orchestra.
Presentation of Diplomas by Mr. M. S. Willard.
Presentation of Class Pins by Capt. W. G. MacRae.
Benediction by Rev. T. A. Smoot.

After the lawn exercises refreshments will be served and a reception held in the nurses home to which all are cordially invited to participate.

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PARTY DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED DOWN RIVER

Through the courtesy of Colonel H. H. Ludlow, Commanding Fort Caswell, and Captain H. B. Grant, United States Coast Artillery, Commanding U. S. S. S. "Gen. Schofield," a party of Wilmingtonians and some of the attractive young lady visitors enjoyed a delightful outing on the river Wednesday. The "Schofield" has touched at this port several times recently, having been engaged for some weeks in instructing the fort in the school of laying mines, exploding them, etc. Wednesday was set apart for the explosion of several large mines, charged with 100 pounds of gun cotton each, at dummy "boats" or targets floated over. These were towed at safe distance by the "Madeline." The party went down by steamer Wilmington Wednesday morning, were graciously received by Colonel Ludlow at the fort, who personally conducted the visitors over the immense fortifications, demonstrated the working of the large guns, etc., and also received them at his attractive home, and then the "Schofield" was boarded. Lunch was spread as the "Schofield" took position near the field of action, and the visitors enjoyed the unusual opportunity of witnessing, at close range, how Uncle Sam blows up invading boats in times of war. The firing party at the fort was under command of Captain H. L. Landers, and so accurate were the calculations that each target, as the mines were fired, although a mile distant, was enveloped in a mass of water which was thrown into the air nearly two hundred feet, while rainbows formed from the falling spray. There were some enthusiastic Americans aboard when such accurate and effective work was shown. At the conclusion of the exercises the party returned to the city aboard the "General Schofield" and greatly enjoyed the trip as guests of Captain Grant. The boat is large, handsomely fitted, and a merry musical was held in the captain's quarters in which is provided an elegant piano, and in fact all of the comforts and conveniences of a modern city home. Those in the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Evans, Miss Augusta Evans, Mrs. Rufus W. Hicks, and Miss Atha Hicks, Miss Betsy London, of Pittsboro, Miss Nan Clark, of Brevard, Misses Alice Davis, Christine Stevenson, Annie Worth, Etta Brand, and Messrs. John H. Rehder, Gilchrist McCormick, Platt Davis and Glasgow Hicks.

DEATH OF GOOD WOMAN.

Mrs. G. A. Bronson Passed Away Early Last Evening.

Announcement of the death of Mrs. G. A. Bronson, which occurred at 7:10 o'clock last evening at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. T. A. Wortham, No. 507 North Fifth street, will be received with sincere regret by many friends and relatives in this city and section. Mrs. Bronson had been in failing health for some time and during the past two or three weeks her condition was such as to give members of the family deep concern. For several days prior to her death her condition was regarded as extremely critical and while her demise did not come unexpectedly it was nevertheless a great shock to loved ones and friends. Mrs. Bronson had resided in Wilmington for about eight years, moving to this city from Garland shortly after the death of her husband. She was 65 years old and is survived by three daughters, Mrs. T. A. Wortham, of this city; Mrs. H. C. Bentley, of Richmond, Va., and Mrs. J. N. Gillis, of Brewton, Ala. Mesdames Bentley and Wortham were at the bedside of their mother when the end came. Mrs. Gillis is seriously ill herself and will not be able to come here for the funeral services. Mrs. Bronson was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and was a most estimable woman, greatly admired by a large circle of friends. The interment will be in the family burying ground at Garland tomorrow morning.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Today.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, church edifice Market and 17th streets. Services at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Subject of lesson sermon: "Everlasting Punishment." All are invited.

Trinity Methodist Church—Preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor, Rev. E. R. Welch. Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. Night service at 8 P. M.

Grace Methodist church, preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor, Rev. T. A. Smoot. Night service at 8 P. M. Sunday school at 3:30 in the afternoon.

St. James' church, Rev. W. H. Milton, D. D., rector. Service, sermon and Holy Communion at 11 A. M. Evening prayer at 5 P. M., evensong and sermon at 8 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

St. John's church, Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. W. E. Cox, rector. Litany, sermon and Holy Communion at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 4 P. M. Evening prayer 5 P. M. All are cordially invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor. English service, 11 A. M. English vesper service 8 P. M. Sunday School 3:30 P. M. A cordial invitation to all. Seats free.

Prayer service at Grace church. There will be a prayer service at Grace church this morning at 10:15, preparatory to the Sacrament of the Lord's supper at 11 o'clock. All men of the church are urged to come. Visitors and friends from other churches welcome. It is hoped that the Baraca Class will be out in full, bringing friends with them.

St. Thomas' church, first mass 7 A. M., last mass, sermon, 10:30 A. M., vespers, sermon, 7:45 P. M.

Monday, May 2nd.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank Monday, May 2nd, will bear interest from May 1st. **

Don't forget the annual May Sale begins Monday at Rehder's. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—The refreshment stand and ladies' bath rooms at Lumina will be open today. Ice water will be served at the pavilion from now on.

—The schooner F. & T. Lupton, Capt. Longstreet, cleared yesterday with 15,107 cross-ties for Philadelphia. The cargo was by Messrs. G. T. & J. W. Flynn, and the vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—During the month of April there were issued from the Register of Deeds' office 35 marriage licenses, 19 to white and 16 to colored couples, against 27 for March, 13 to whites and 14 to colored.

—At the close of the third day of the campaign for new members for the Y. M. C. A. the bulletin at the association last night showed 33 points for the Hustlers and 35 for the Rustlers.

—There was a decrease in the number of arrests during the month of April as compared with March. Up to midnight last night the police blotter showed that there were 134 arrests during the month of April against 161 for March.

—The two companies, Rustlers and Hustlers, participating in the campaign for new members for the Y. M. C. A. last night played a game of indoor baseball in the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A., resulting in a victory for the Hustlers 14 to 8.

—Capt. George W. Huggins, the well known Market street jeweler, gives notice that his store will close at 6 o'clock each day during the Summer except on Saturdays, beginning on May 2nd. Capt. Huggins feels that better service can be given with this little rest at the end of each day.

—Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: J. O. Brown and wife to Orin Johnson and wife, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on east side of Sixth, 102 feet and seven inches north of Queen street, 36.5x132 feet in size; R. A. Burnett and wife to Martha A. Haney, for $10 and other considerations, lot on west side of Third, 231 feet south of Marsteller street, 33x165 feet in size.

—In a rather slow and uninteresting game of baseball at Wrightsboro school yesterday afternoon, the Wrightsboro team was defeated by the Wilmington Junior team by the score of 20 to 2. Batteries: Wilmington, Yopp, Huhn and Wilson; Wrightsboro, Webb, Bosal, Westbrook and W. Eason. Yopp struck out 12 and Huhn one. Huhn and Wilson made home runs. The game was umpired by Sidbury and was played in about two hours.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. L. A. Bristow, of Raleigh, is here for a visit of a few days.

—Mr. W. F. Busch has returned from a visit to his parents in Philadelphia.

—Mr. F. D. Wooten, of Chadbourn, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Immigration Inspector John C. Williams, of Norfolk, was here yesterday on his regular inspection trip over this district.

At the Bijou Tomorrow.

"Faithful" is the feature of the bill that will be offered at the Bijou theatre tomorrow. It is another of the excellent Biograph subjects and will very probably be seen by large audiences.

Don't fail to see the twin auctioneers, PENNY BROS. Winter Park Heights Friday, May 6th. ma 1-4t

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

City Engineer Matter Comes Up for Action Tomorrow Night.

One of the most important matters to be considered by the Board of Aldermen when they meet in regular monthly session tomorrow night is with reference to the adoption of an ordinance creating the city engineering department with a defination in a general way of the duties of the engineer. Mayor MacRae has completed a rough draft of the ordinance, covering nearly three typewritten pages, and this will be submitted to the Aldermen for adoption, alteration or rejection as they may see fit. The Aldermen are expected to take final action on the matter tomorrow night so that the Board of Audit and Finance can act at its meeting on Tuesday night. The "blind tiger" situation, which appears to be uppermost in the minds of the people just now, may be touched upon by some of the Aldermen, but it is not thought that they will be given a transcript of the evidence secured at the investigations recently held under the direction of the Mayor. It was stated yesterday that the question of fixing the amount of the near-beer license tax for the next fiscal year will not be considered until the June meeting, although there may be some discussion tomorrow night with reference to what the Alderman may do.

BUILDING RECORD FOR APRIL.

With One Exception Best Month in Three Years, Says Inspector.

The books of Building Inspector H. E. Bonitz shows that during the month of April there were issued 26 permits to erect buildings in the City of Wilmington, the aggregate cost of which he estimates at $100,000. This is a great increase over the preceding month and, in fact, with the exception of December last it is the best record for any month in three years. In the month of December permits were issued for buildings, aggregating $114,000. The fact that building is greatly on the increase in Wilmington is convincing proof of the growth and expansion of the city. Mr. Bonitz is of the opinion that the month of May will be a good one in the way of building.

STRAWBERRY SHIPMENTS.

Eighty-Seven Solid Cars Through South Rocky Mount Yesterday.

The movement of strawberries South Rocky Mount yesterday as officially reported by Business Agent H. T. Bauman, of the E. C. T. & F. G. Association, consisted of 87 solid refrigerator cars, the distribution being as follows: New York 10; Pittsburg 12; Boston 9; Providence 7; Philadelphia and Buffalo 6 each; Newark 5; Cleveland, Elmira, Springfield 3 each; Albany, Scranton 2 each; Amsterdam, Worcester, Norwich, Syracuse, Toronto, Hartford, Utica, New Haven, Schenectady, North Adams, Patterson, Troy, Montreal, Toledo, Williamsport, Waterbury, Harrisburg, Erie, one each.

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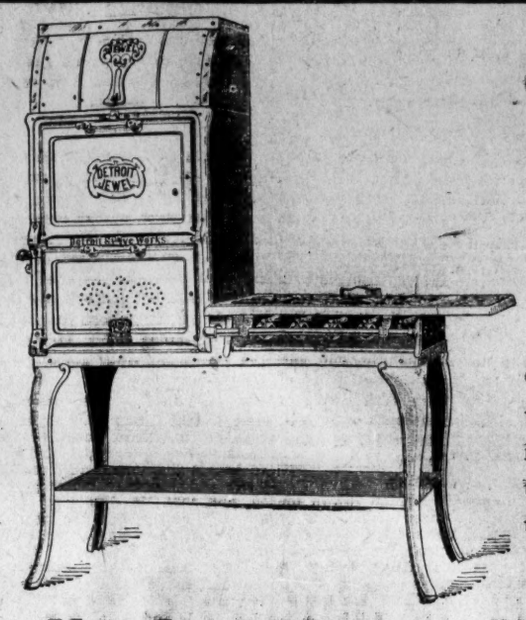

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the erection of the School House at Leland, Brunswick county, N. C., according to plans and specifications on file at the store of Wm. Goodman, Market street, Wilmington, N. C., where the same may be examined. The bids will be opened on May 20th, 1910, at 4 P. M., at Leland. The building committee reserves the right to reject all bids. For further information address Geo. H. Bellamy, county Superintendent, El Paso, N. C., of J. W. Gay, Secretary, Leland, N. C.
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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 30.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.75.

TAR—Market, firm $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip and $5.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 37, rosin $2.65, tar $1.70, crude turpentine $1.75 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	25
Rosin	89
Tar	32
Crude turpentine	20

Receipts, same day last year 10 casks spirits turpentine, 74 barrels rosin; 66 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet 14 3-8. Quotations corresponding day last year 8 9-16c.

Receipts 147 bales; same day last year 542 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quote by W. J. Meredith April 30th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20 to $1.25 per bushel; Spanish $1.40 and $1.50; Virginias $1.00 and $1.10.

CORN—Firm 90 to 95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 19 to 20; shoulders and sides 15 cts.

EGGS—19 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 20 and 35; grown 45 to 50, scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 80c. 4 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr., flint 14c; green 9c per pound

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 65c per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c.; free of burr 24c.

GEESE—50@55 per head.

PORK—Small corn fed 10; large 9c., owing to quality.

SHEEP—No sales.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—White black eyes $2.25 and $2.50; lady fingers $2.75; clay and cow peas $1.65, dull.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, April 30.—The cotton market was comparatively quiet today but an early reactionary tendency due to disappointing cables was offset by a demand for the near months from the people who took cotton on contract yesterday and prices ruled generally steady, closing steady, net four points higher to two points lower. The opening was steady at an advance of 4 points on May, but generally 1 to 8 points lower under realizing for over the week-end and in response to the showing of Liverpool where prices were 3-4 points lower when due to come about two to five points higher. But while weather reports were considered favorable, preliminary estimates of acreage showing an increase of only 3.2 per cent were somewhat disappointing from a bearish standpoint, and with leading New Orleans bulls buying May and July, the entire list soon firmed up. May advanced to 14.87 and July to 14.68 or 7 to 12 points net higher, and the new crop sold a point or two above the closing figures of last night.

The close was a shade off from the best, under scattering liquidation but the undertone was steady and on comparative moderate reactions there was a show of strong support from the bull leaders one of whom bid 14.41 for 10,000 bales of May, in the late trading. A prominent English statistician estimates actual consumption of Great Britain and the continent at 170,000 bales per week during March compared with 190,000 bales for the same time last year. All sorts of sensational talk is current regard the situation in the local market is being claimed by some that the bulls are still long of May and that they also hold a large number of contracts for delivery in July when it is said that the supply available for shipment to New York will be much smaller than at present.

Receipts at the ports today were 6,750 against 18,137 last week and 14,761 last year. For the week 70,000 bales against 98,168 last week and 115,696 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 2,549 against 3,370 last year and at Houston 1,110 bales against 2,043 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 15.25; middling gulf 15.50, sales 500 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
May	14.75	14.87	14.75	14.80
June				14.71
July	14.60	14.68	14.59	14.65
August	14.05	14.10	14.05	14.03
September	13.04	13.15	12.95	13.11
October	12.64	12.69	12.63	12.66
November	12.45			12.38
December	12.43	12.50	12.44	12.47
January	12.41			12.44
March	12.31	12.46	11.41	14.41

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 30.—Spot in limited demand, prices one point higher; American middling fair 8.39; good middling 8.09; middling 7.95; low middling 7.85; good ordinary 7.59; ordinary 7.34.

The sales of the day were 4,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 3,500 American. Receipts 2,000 bales including 500 American.

Futures opened quiet and closed easy. April 7.73; April and May 7.66 1-2; May and June 7.61; June and July 7.57 1-2; July and August 7.52; August and September 7.25 1-2; September and October 6.88 1-2; October and November 6.70 1-2; November and December 6.63; December and January 6.61; January and February 6.59 1-2; February and March 6.58; March and April 6.55.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.'S LETTER.

New York, April 30.—Europe is still disturbed over the effects of the losses arising from the fraudulent documents on the shipments from Alabama. Bankers abroad are nervous over all documents coming forward, and will be for some time to come. For this condition they cannot be blamed, and their views are reacting upon the markets which were lower than we expected. Here the absence of sellers, together with rather more demand for cotton goods, brought about a small advance on the old crop. If this demand continues we think it may lead to a demand for cotton from this market, while this uncertainty regarding southern through bills of lading is disturbing the financial world. Our reports from the Mississippi Valley of the damage of the freeze of last week are serious. Liverpool should advance some five points on Monday. The spot market ruled unchanged middling 15.25; last year 10.85.

HUBBARD BROS & CO.

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 14 5-8; net receipts 1,995, stocks 74,116.

New Orleans—Quiet, 14 5-8; net receipts 2,549; stock 113,962.

Mobile—Steady, 14 1-2; net receipts 88; stock 20,865.

Savannah—Quiet, 14 1-2; net receipts 1,245; stock 41,313.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts 39; stock 8,203.

Wilmington—Quiet, 14 3-8; net receipts 147; stock 12,180.

Norfolk—Firm, 14 3-4; net receipts 686; stock 21,204.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15 1-8; stock 6,570.

New York—Quiet, 15.25; net receipts 50; stock 240,142.

Boston—Quiet, 15.25; stock 8,956.

Philadelphia—Steady, 15.50; stock 1,025.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 6,750; Great Britain 4,865; France 4,846; Continent 185; stock 550,603.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 6,750; Great Britain 4,865; France 4,846; Continent 185.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 6,761,096; Great Britain 1,908,073; France 835,448; Continent 2,315,972; Japan 78,974; Mexico 13,819.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14 5-8; net receipts 1,110; stock 40,328.

Augusta—Quiet, 14 3-4; net receipts 137; stock 32,856.

Memphis—Steady, 14 7-8; net receipts 137; stock 77,656.

St. Louis—Quiet, 14 3-4; stock 35,879.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 302; stock 13,335.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 1-16; net receipts 216; stock 30,276.

Louisville—Firm, 15.

Total today—Net receipts 1,902; gross receipts 5,450; shipments 9,748; sales 1,222; stock 230,128.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 30.—The cotton goods market was a little more active during the day in the primary division where converters and printers are showing more interest. Linens are steady. Burlaps, yarns are steady but quiet.

PEANUTS.

(Reported by Rodgers, MacCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., April 4.—Spanish, market firm at $1.35 per bushel; good demand. Virginias, market quiet at 4 1-2c for jumbo; fancy handpicked 3 3-4 to 4c; machine picked 3c to 3 3-4c; shelling stock 2 3-4 to 3c.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, April 30.—Flour dull and about steady. Spring patents 5.25 to 5.55; Winter patents 5.15 to 5.50.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Quiet.

Wheat—Irregular; No. 2 red 1.14 nominal c.f; No. 1 northern 1.17 1-2 nominal fob opening navigation. Options closed at 3-8 to 5-8c net decline. May 1.15; July 1.10 3-8; September 1.08 1-8.

Corn—Steady; steamer 63 1-2 and No. 4, 6, both nominal elevator export basis. Options closed unchanged. May 68; July 71 1-4; September 70 3-4.

Oats—Steady; mixed nominal; options closed nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Tallow—Dull.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Steady.

Raw Sugar—Steady, refined sugar quiet.

Coffee—Futures closed steady at a net decline of 4 to 10 points. Spot quiet, Rio No. 7, 8 3-4; Santos No. 4, 9 1-4; mild quiet; Cordova 9 1-2 to 12 1-4.

Butter—Barely steady.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged.

Eggs—Steady, state, Pennsylvania and nearby gathered white 23 to 24 1-2.

Potatoes—Steady; Bermuda new per barrel 3.00 to 4.25.

Cabbages—Steady; Southern per crate 2.00 to 3.00.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton seed oil was steady to a shade higher on light offerings, covering of May shorts and with the advance in cotton and lard. The close was generally 1 to 7 points higher, with sales of 1,900 barrels. May 7.63 to 7.70; July 7.74 to 7.76; October 7.32 to 7.34; December 6.63 to 6.65. Prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 7.70 to 7.85; prime winter yellow 7.50 to 8.45; prime summer white 8.00 to 8.49.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, April 30.—Hessian flies and chinch bugs held the imagination of wheat speculators late in the session today, and excluded from attention reports of rain in the southwest and stories that foreigners had been liberal sellers in the Chicago market. Prices after an early decline closed firm at a shade to 1-8 to 1-4 advance. Corn finished 3-8 to 1-2 to 5-8c higher; oats unchanged to 3-8c to 1-2c lower and provisions 10 to 25c higher.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Wheat—				
May	1 07⅜	1 08⅝	1 07⅜	1 08¼
July	1 02⅞	1 03⅝	1 02⅜	1 03⅛
Sept	1 01¼	1 01⅝	1 00⅞	1 01⅝
Corn—				
May	57⅞	58½	57⅝	58¼
July	61⅞	62⅝	61⅝	62⅜
Sept	63	63½	62⅝	63½
Dec	58	58¼	57⅞	58¼
Oats—				
May	41¼	41½	41	41⅛
July	40¼	40½	40	40½
Sept	38⅞	39	37⅝	38¾
Dec	29⅝	30½	29¼	30¼
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	21 30	21 67½	21 30	21 62½
July	21 50	21 85	21 50	21 85
Sept	21 55	21 87½	21 55	21 85
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	12 32½	12 47½	12 32⅝	12 47½
Sept	12 10	12 27½	12 10	12 27½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	12 20	12 22½	12 1.½	12 22½
July	11 97½	12 15	11 97½	12 15
Sept	11 95	12 12½	11 92½	12 12½

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN.

Chicago, April 30.—Cash grain closed: Wheat No. 2 red 1.08 3-8 to 1.15 3-8; No. 3 red 1.08 3-8 to 1.10 3-8; No. 2 hard 1.08 to 1.09 1-2; No. 3 hard 1.04 to 1.09; No. 3 spring 1.04 to 1.09.

Corn—No. 2, 58 3-4 to 59 1-4; No. 2 white 63 to 65; No. 2 yellow 61 to 62; No. 3, 57 to 58; No. 3, white 60 to 61 1-2; No. 3 yellow 58 1-2 to 60; No. 4, 55 to 55 1-2; No. 4 yellow 56 to 57.

Oats—No. 2 white 42 3-4 to 43 1-2; No. 3 white 40 3-4 to 42 3-4; No. 4 white 40 to 41 1-2; standard 42 1-2 to 43.

THE STOCK MARKET.

New York, April 30.—The stock market today reflected a recurrence of uneasiness over the cotton market situation and also lacked the sustaining force of the demand from shorts. Some sensational rumors were in circulation regarding the relations of the so-called cotton pool, and the consequences which might be involved in the carrying of the speculative position in that article. The enormous deliveries of May cotton, of which notices were filed yesterday to the extent of 175,000 bales, indicate the heavy liabilities at stake.

The tone of the mercantile reviews did not serve to clear up the uncertainty felt over the business prospects and the blowing out of additional stocks by iron furnaces kept attention corcused on the iron trade recession. There was revived discussion of the effect of the damage to crops. Estimates of increase in the acreage being planted in cotton and of the possibility of re-planting to advantage of frost killed cotton were coupled with authoritative admissions of the backset of the agricultural prospect has undergone as a result of the week's unseasonable weather conditions.

A decline in the discount rates in the London and Berlin markets was a feature of the day and foreign exchange here showed a yielding tendency. The holding of time money rates at the advanced level of the week was taken to show the expectation of lenders that higher rates are to be looked for.

The bank statement showed clearly the necessity the banks had been under influence sculping down their credits in order to conserve the reserve within the legal requirement.

Bonds were easy. Total sales, par value, were $1,371,000. United States 4s registered declined 1-8 per cent on call during the week. Total sales of stocks today were 419,800 shares.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 30.—Money on call nominal. Time loans steady; sixty and ninety days 4 to 4 1-2 per cent., six months 4 1-4 to 4 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 4 3-4 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8440 to 4.8450 for sixty day bills and at 4.8745 for demand. Commercial bills 4.83 3-4 to 4.84 1-4. Bar silver 54 1-4. Mexican dollars 44.

WILMINGTON BANK CLEARINGS

Wilmington, N. C., April 30.—Clearings of the Wilmington banks for the month of April 1910:

Total clearings	$2,390,629.92
Total for April 1909	1,413,324.02
Increase over last year	$ 986,305.90

Reported by the Wilmington Clearing House Association.

THOS. E. COOPER, Secretary.

N. Y. BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s registered	100 3-4
U. S. ref. 2s. coupon	100 3-4
U. S. 3s registered	102 1-2
U. S. 3s coupon	102 1-2
U. S. 4s. registered	114 3-8
U. S. 4s coupon	114 1-2
Allis Chalmers 1st 5s	77 1-2
American Agricultural 5s	102
American Tel & Tel cv. 4s	100
American Tobacco 4s	78
American Tobacco 6s	100 7-8
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	91 3-4
Atchison gen. 4s	98 3-8
Atchison cv. 4s	109
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	94
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	97 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	90 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	90 1-8
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	83
Central of Georgia 5s	105 1-4
Central Leather 5s	99 1-4
Central R. R. of N. J. gen 5s	123 5-8
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	101
Chesapeake & Ohio ref 5s	93 3-4
Chicago & Altin 3 1-2s	70
Chicago, R & Q. joint 4s	95 1-2
Chicago, B. & Q. gen. 4s	98
Chicago, Mil & St. P. gen 3 1-2s	87
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col 4s	76 3-4
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry rfg 4s	80
Colorado Industrial 5s	78
Colorado Midland 4s	75 1-2
Colo & Southern ref & ext 4 1-2s	97 1-4
Delaware & Hudson cv. 4s	98 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	94
Denver & Rio Grande ref 5s	91
Distillers 5s	70
Erie prior lien 4s	82 1-4
Erie Gen. 4s	73 1-2
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	79 3-4
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	67
General Electric cv. 5s	130
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	98
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	80
Inter. Merc Marine 4 1-2s	63 1-4
Japan 4s	91 1-2
Japan 4 1-2s	95
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	92
Lake Shore deb 4s (1931)	92 3-4
Louisville & Nash. Un. 4s	98 1-8
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97 1-2
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen. 4 1-2s	87
Missouri Pacific 4s	78
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	94
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	80 1-8
New York Central deb. 4s	93 1-2
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	131 1-2
Norfolk & Western 1st con 4s	98 3-4
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	101 5-8
Northern Pacific 4s	100 1-4
Northern Pacific 3s	72
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	92
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s (1915)	95 7-8
Penn. Con. 4s	103
Reading Gen. 4s	98 1-8
St. Louis & San Fran. fg 4s	82
St. Louis & San Fran. gen 5s	88 1-2
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	77 1-2
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	91
Seaboard Air Line 4s	83 1-2
Southern Pacific col. 4s	89
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	100
Southern P. R. R. 1st ref 4s	94 3-8
Southern Railway 5s	105 1-2
Southern Railway gen. 4s	77 7-8
Union Pacific 4s	100
Union Pacific cv. 4s	105 7-8
Union Pacific 1st and ref 4s	96 1-2
U. S. Rubber 6s	103 1-4
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	103 1-2
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	98 1-4
Wabash 1st 5s	108
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	87 1-4
Western Md., 4s	85
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	89 1-2
Wisconsin Central 4s	92

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis Chalmers pfd	34
Amalgamated Copper	67 1-8
American Agricultural	41 1-2
American Beet Sugar	35 3-4
American Can	9 1-2
American Car & Foundry	57 7-8
American Cotton Oil	59 3-4
American Hide & Leather pfd	31
American Ice Securities	24
American Linseed	12 1-2
American Locomotive	47
American Smelting & Ref'ng	76 1-2
American Smelting & Ref'ng pfd	103
American Steel Foundries	58 1-2
American Sugar Refining	120 1-2
American Tel & Tel	133 1-2
American Tobacco, pfd	94
American Woolen	32 1-8
Anaconda Mining Co.	40 1-2
Atchison	107 5-8
Atchison pfd	102
Atlantic Coast Line	123
Baltimore & Ohio	107 1-4
Bethleham Steel	29
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	76
Canadian Pacific	182 1-2
Central Leather	41 1-4
Central Leather pfd	106 1-2
Central of New Jersey	300
Chesapeake & Ohio	82 3-4
Chicago & Alton	51 1-4
Chicago Great Western	27
Chicago Great Western pfd	52 1-2
Chicago & Northwestern	147 3-4
Chicago, Mil & St. Paul	136 1-2
C., C. C. & St. Louis	80 1-2
Colorado Fuel — Iron	36 1-2
Colorado & Southern	57 5-8
Consolidated Gas	133
Corn Products	15
Delaware & Hudson	167 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande	38 1-8
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	71 1-2
Distillers' Securities	29
Erie	27 1-8
Erie 1st pfd	44
Erie 2nd pfd	34 1-4
General Electric	145 1-2
Great Northern pfd	132
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	42 1-2
Illinois Central	134
Interborough Met	19 1-2
Interborough Met pfd	52
Inter Harvester	90 1-2
Inter Marine pfd	17
International Paper	11
International Pump	42 1-8
Iowa Central	19 1-2
Kansas City Southern	32
Kansas City Southern pfd	65
Laclede Gas	100
Louisville & Nashville	145
Minneapolis & St. Louis	32
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	136 1-2
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	30 1-4
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	68 1-2
Missouri Pacific	62 1-2
National Biscuit	104
National Lead	76
Nat'l Rys of Mexico 2nd pfd	87 7-8
New York Central	118 1-4
New York, Ontario & Western	42 1-2
Norfolk & Western	100 1-4
North American	70 1-2
Northern Pacific	128 7-8
Pacific Mail	25
Pennsylvania	131 1-2
People's Gas	108 1-4
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	93 1-2
Pittsburg Coal	18
Pressed Steel Car	37 3-4
Pullman Palace Car	165
Railway Steel Spring	28
Reading	157 1-2
Republic Steel	32 1-4
Republic Steel pfd	96
Rock Island Co.	43
Rock Island Co. pfd	83
St. Louis & San Fran. 2nd pfd	43
St. Louis Southwestern	27 1-4
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	71 1-2
Sloss Sheffield Steel & Iron	71 3-4
Southern Pacific	120 1-8
Southern Railway	25 1-4
Southern Railway pfd	63
Tennessee Copper	25 1-2
Texas & Pacific	30 1-4
Toledo, St. Louis & West	28
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	62
Union Pacific	177 7-8
Union Pacific pfd	97 1-2
United States Realty	73 1-2
United States Rubber	38 3-4
United States Steel	89 1-8
United States Steel pfd	117 5-8
Utah Copper	41 3-4
Virginia Carolina Chemical	56 1-4
Wabash	19 1-4
Wabash pfd	41 7-8
Western Maryland	44 1-4
Westinghouse Electric	62 1-2
Western Union	67 3-4
Wheeling & Lake Erie	3 1-4

NAVAL STORES.

New York, April 30.—Rosin quiet, turpentine steady.

Savannah, Ga., April 30—Turpentine nothing doing; last sales 60c; receipts 393; shipments 1,247; stocks 4,315. Rosin firm; sales 2,541; receipts 1,509; shipments 464; stock 59,496. Quote: A, B, C, 3.95; D, 4.80; E, 4.60; F, 4.85; G, 4.90; H, 5.05; I, 5.15; K, 5.40; M, 5.60; N, 5.65; WG, 5.75; WW, 5.80.

Charleston, S. C. April 30.—Turpentine firm 60c. Rosin: Quote: A, B, C, 3.87 1-2 to 4.35; E, 4.40; F, 5.07 1-2; G, 5.10; H, 5.25; I, 5.50; K, 5.50; M, 5.60; N, 5.65; WG, 5.75; WW, 6.05.

MARINE

CLEARED.

Str. Sabine, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

Schr. F. & T. Lupton, Longstreet, Philadelphia, C. D. Maffitt.

Exports—Coastwise.

Philadelphia—Schr., F. & T. Lupton, 15,107 cross-ties, cargo by G. T. and T. J. Flynn; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

Lavengro (Br.) 269 tons, Murl. C. D. Maffitt.
Chas. D. Endicott, 759 tons, Johnson, C. D. Maffitt.

Barques.

Hancock, 348 tons Finley, C. D. Maffitt.

Wait for and save your money for Gaylord's eight day sale. **

BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 30, 1910.

W. & W. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 12 barrels tar, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—108 bales cotton, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—38 bales cotton.

Str. Alice—10 barrels tar, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. J. D. Pickett—29 barrels rosin.

Schr. Chancey T.—25 casks spirits turpentine, 60 barrels rosin.

Total—147 bales cotton, 25 casks spirits turpentine, 89 barres rosin, 22 barrels tar, 20 barrels crude turpentine.

THEIR FAVORITE SON.

Mass Meeting of Maxton Citizens Endorses Maj. McKinnon.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Maxton, N. C., April 30.—At a mass meeting held in the Commercial Club room here last night, the candidacy of Maj. A. J. McKinnon for Congress was heartily and enthusiastically endorsed and his fitness and competency for the office commended to the entire district. Mr. McKinnon's friends here are very much gratified to note the many favorable expressions of approval of his candidacy which appear frequently in different papers over the district and they take pride in the fact that Maxton has a man who could so worthily represent the district.

Gaylord's eight day sale will be the biggest bargain event ever put on the market. **

Today.

Cars to the Beach every half hour during the afternoon. **

Don't forget the annual May Sale begins Monday at Rehder's. **

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
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FOR SALE.

London Lot, Northwest Corner Third and Chesnut Streets.

Pursuant to the authority of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, entered at the April Term, 1910, in a cause therein pending, wherein Eliza W. Cronly and Annie L. Campbell are plaintiffs, and James Douglas Campbell, et als, are defendants, the undersigned Commissioner, duly appointed in said decree, will sell at public auction on Monday, the 30th day of May, 1910, at the Court House, at 12 o'clock, M., in the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, the following described property:

FIRST LOT: Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Third street with the northern line of Chesnut street, running thence eastwardly with said line of Chesnut street 90 feet, more or less, to the dividing line between this and the Nixon lot; thence northwardly parallel with Third street 43 feet; thence westwardly parallel with Chesnut street 90 feet to the eastern line of Third street; thence southwardly along said line of Third street to the beginning, being a part of lot six in block 193, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

"Together with all the right, title, interest, claim and demand of the parties to said cause in and to all that piece or parcel of land lying between the wall as now erected on Chesnut street and the southern line of said lot No. 1, as hereinbefore set out."

SECOND LOT: Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Third street 43 feet north of its intersection with the northern line of Chesnut street, running thence eastwardly 90 feet, more or less, to the dividing line between this and the Nixon lot; thence northwardly with the eastern line of third street 43 feet; thence westwardly with the northern line of Chesnut street 90 feet, to the eastern line of Third street; thence southwardly along the eastern line of Third street to the beginning, being a part of lots 5 and 6, block 193, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

THIRD LOT: Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Third street 86 feet north of its intersection with the northern line of Chesnut street, running thence eastwardly parallel with Chesnut street 90 feet, more or less, to the dividing line between this and the Nixon lot; thence northwardly parallel with Third street 43 feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Chesnut street 90 feet to the eastern line of Third street; thence with said line southwardly to the beginning, being a part of lot 5, block 193, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

FOURTH LOT: Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Third street 129 feet north of its intersection with the northern line of Chesnut street, running thence eastwardly 90 feet, more or less, to the dividing line between this and the Nixon lot; thence northwardly 44.1 feet to the center of a brick wall, the dividing line between this and the Holmes lot; thence westwardly 90 feet to the eastern line of Third street; thence southwardly with the eastern line of Third street to the beginning, being a part of lots 4 and 5, block 193, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

A dwelling which is partly situated on the first above described lot, together with the other out houses on the said four lots, will be sold separately for cash, at the same time, the purchaser to remove the same.

Whole Lot.

The property, after being offered for sale in separate lots as above described, will thereupon, at said time, be offered for sale as a whole, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Third street and the northern line of Chesnut street, running thence with the said line of Chesnut street eastwardly 90 feet, more or less, to the dividing line between this and the Nixon lot; thence northwardly parallel with Third street 174 feet to the center brick wall dividing this and the Holmes lot; thence westwardly parallel with Chesnut street 90 feet to the eastern line of Third street; thence southwardly to the eastern line of Third street to the beginning, being parts of lots 4, 5 and 6, in block 193, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington: "Together with all the right, title, interest, claim and demand of the parties to said cause in and to all that piece or parcel of land lying between the wall as now erected on Chesnut street and the southern line of said whole lot as above described."

If the bids for the separate lots aggregate more than the bid for the whole, the Commissioner reserves the right to recommend the separate sales. If, as a whole, the property sells for more than the aggregate of bids for the separate lots, the Commissioner reserves the right to recommend the confirmation of the sale of the whole.

The Commissioner further reserves the right to recommend the rejection of any and all bids.

Terms of Sale.

One-fifth cash, balance in one, two, three and four years, secured by mortgage on property sold; or cash at option of purchaser.

Surveys may be seen and information will be given at the office of the undersigned, or by Messrs. Meares & Ruark and Ricaud & Empie, Attorneys.

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B. R. LACY,
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First premium, $5.00 Suit Case.
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First premium, Boys' $5.00 Suit.
Second premium, Boy's $3.00 Suit.
Third premium, Boy's $2.00 Suit.

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First premium, Lady's $5.00 Hat.
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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., May 1, 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Saturday, April 30th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 67 degrees; 8 P. M. 70 degrees; maximum 84 degrees; minimum 60 degrees; mean 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, 1.61 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Friday 6.7 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Sunday and Monday; light to moderate southwest winds.

Port Calendar—May 1.

Sun Rises.....5:23 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:55 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 32 min.
High water at Southport 12:21 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 3:21 P. M.

CRONLY SCHOOL CLOSING.

Afternoon and Evening Exercises on Friday—Two Addresses.

A number of Wilmington people who attended delightful exercises attending the closing of the Cronly High School Friday afternoon and evening, returned to the city yesterday. They were delighted with the exercises and the splendid progress being made in that section of progressive Columbus. The exercises took place in the large auditorium of the high school and started at 4 o'clock, opening with a chorus by the advanced grades and "An Hour With Longfellow" by the eighth grade. Mr. G. Herbert Smith, of the School Board, presided at the gathering and in a few well chosen remarks, presented the speakers of the day, Rev. F. T. Wooten, superintendent of education in Columbus, who told something of the progress of the work in his county, and Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington schools, who delivered a most pleasing address on "The Expression of Modern Ideals in Education." Both were spoken of as remarkably fine addresses and were listened to with close attention.

At night there was a programme of selections by the pupils of the school, evidencing fine training on the part of their teachers, the Misses White, of Ahoskie, N. C., who have been wonderfully successful in the conduct of the school. Mr. Blair stated that the pupils who had completed the advanced grades in the Cronly school would be eligible to enter Sophomore in the Wilmington High School, the standard of which admits to several universities and colleges without examination. At the conclusion in the evening Mr. Blair expressed appreciation of the fine exercises in behalf of the visitors and another pleasing feature was the presentation by Master G. Herbert Smith, Jr., of a fine print of the famous painting, "Childhood's Hour," which was received in behalf of the school by the eighth grade.

Monday, May 2nd.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank Monday, May 2nd, will bear interest from May 1st. **

PRETTY STEW THIS IN WAKE COUNTY

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to do, since he and his interests were so closely allied with Republicans. Jones declared Bailey was an apostle of prohibition which he now denies and favors local option. "I charge" declared Jones, "that Bailey was manager in Wake county for Craig and he purposely paid money for the purchase of votes". Here Sherwood Upchurch was called up to state that Mr. Bailey had asked him if he could carry his ward for Craig. He had replied that he "could deliver the goods", that Bailey gave him check for expense and told him he would get pay for his service after the primary, that he carried his ward for Craig and got his pay from Bailey who remarked that he, Upchurch, had made good even if he did sell his vote. "I told him," said Upchurch, "that I had not sold my vote. That I went out and got the votes he wanted with a check he gave me for the purpose, but that I went to the polls like a man and voted for Willie Kitchin, the only Governor we have had that has shown the good sense to stay in his office and attend to his official duties."

Hon. Dan Hugh McLean was called to speak. He spoke for 15 minutes or longer, paying tribute to the Democratic party and the work for it that Armistead Jones and those associated with him in the direction of the party interests in Wake county had done. He appealed amid enthusiastic applause for the return of the Democratic party of the whole State to the fundamental Jeffersonian principle of Democracy of local self government, making it clear that he meant this as to the temperance question as well as others. A great revolution, he declared, is going on in the minds of the people all over the State.

Mr. Chappell offered a resolution declaring for local self government, but after remarks by J. N. Holding that it would be unwise to take any action, it was withdrawn without a vote. Holding declared himself heartily in favor of it however.

Bart M. Gatling, ex-county chairman, declared that if he was expected to say anything about J. W. Bailey or Josephus Daniels, there would have to be invented new words; that the vocabulary for denunciation was long since exhausted in this day's proceedings. He favored the local self-government principle but was glad the resolution was withdrawn. He thought the convention after the primaries would be the time to adopt the platform. The motion to adjourn prevailed.

The meeting in front of the Court House by Mr. Bailey and his followers, was an enthusiastic one. Mr. Bailey mounted a box and declared the mass meeting was called for the purpose of showing what sort of machine rule we have in this county. By their conduct this day, he declared, the machine has fully demonstrated what it is and that it is more corrupt than its worst enemies had ever undertaken to prove. He declared this day's proceeding was merely a skirmish and that the real fight would be among the people from now to the primaries.

Editor Daniels spoke with great feeling, declaring this day marked the declaration of independence for Wake Democracy and that there should be no let-up in the fight or compromise of any sort until machine domination is dethroned and the real Democrats are in complete control of party affairs. Mr. Daniels read resolutions and they were adopted by sections, denouncing the machine and calling for flat salaries for county officers, equal distribution of legislative representation between Raleigh and the county; a square deal in road improvements, primaries above suspicion; against the use of money in primaries, and demand of the Democratic organization representation for the Bailey-Daniels faction at the primary polls.

Following the adoption of the resolutions, a motion "To adjourn, go home and get in the fight" was carried.

Capitalists Expected This Week.

Messrs Stewart and Larmon, of New York, and Mr. Dandurand, representing large Canadian capital, who are considering the matter of purchasing the Angola Bay tract, in Pender county, will reach Burgaw the early part of this week. The people of Pender county are preparing to give the visitors a big reception and will provide ample entertainment during their stay.

Monday, May 2nd.

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Manufacturers' Outlet Sale all next week at Polvogt's. Read advertisement. **

Winter Park Heights. See big ad. elsewhere in this issue ma 1-3t.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

BUFF ORPINGTON eggs $1 for setting of 13. Mrs. Gerrit Walker, R. F. D. No. 1, Wilmington. 'Phone 4012. ma 1 1t*

WANTED TO BUY—Old feather beds. Old Mahogany furniture. Brass fenders and andirons. C. M. Moore, 119 Orange street. ma 1 1t*

$100.00 MONTHLY and traveling expenses to sell soft drinks to country merchants. We pay freight. Samples free, Box 467, Atlanta, Ga. ma 1 1t*

ON WOOSTER, BETWEEN 7th and 8th streets we have for sale three shouses, a store and large barn for sale. This property is now bringing $30.00 per month and same can be bought for $2,500. A good investment for some one, and one that will go this week. D. R. Foster & Co., are the sole agents. ma 1-1t.

ON SOUTH FOURTH STREET, between Nun and Church streets, we have for sale 41 1-2 feet on street and are from 99 to 165 feet deep. The prices vary from $135.00 to $200.00. The terms are $15.00 cash and $1.00 a week. Don't wait, but phone us Monday. It will take but twenty minutes of your time to see property, and to see same means a sale. Think of buying a lot for $1.00 a week. D. R. Foster & Co. are the people to see. ma 1 3t

ABOUT A CHESNUT street house; we have for sale a modern, eight room, slate roof house; size of lot 50x150 feet. This is an excellent home, and price is reasonable. D. R. Foster & Co., are the agents. ma 1-1t.

AN IMPORTANT meeting of the Hospital Circle of the King's Daughters will be held at the Colonial Inn on Monday at 10 o'clock. All members are requested to be present. ma 1 1t*

THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY of St. James' Parish will give a lawn party at 713 Market street on Friday afternoon and evening, May 6th. Hours 4 to 6 and 8 to 9 P. M. The proceeds will be used for missionary work. All friends will be cordially welcomed. ma 1 6 2t*

LOST MOTION in your old typewriter is costly. Have this taken out, your machine cleaned and adjusted by skilled mechanics who can make your old machine as good as new. J. E. Crayton & Co., Charlotte, N. C. ma 1 3t

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FREE SAMPLE—Agents only, faucet strainer, splash preventer; send 2 cent stamp (mailing cost); $5 profit daily and upward; let us prove it. Seed, 93 Reade street, N. Y. ma 1 1t*

ONLY A LIMITED NUMBER—Can be accommodated by the Co-operative Building and Loan Association. The new series, which opens Saturday, May 7th (next Saturday) is limited to 1,000 shares. About half of this number now spoken for. If you want stock put your name down today. Get the Co-operative new book on building and loan. The first ever issued in Wilmington from the office of the Co-operative, 124 Princess street (Wright's Real Estate Agency.) Wm. E. Worth, president; B. C. Moore, vice president; Thos H. Wright, secretary. ma 1 1t

SALESMEN WANTED—Sell grocers, druggists, confectioners; $125 monthly and expenses. California Cider & Extract Co. ma 1 1t*

WANTED—Ambitious young men to become traveling salesmen. Experience unnecessary. Write for particulars. Bradstreet System, Rochester, N. Y. ma 1 2t*

THE ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' meeting of the People's Building & Loan Association will be held at 206 Princess street at 8:00 P. M. Wednesday, April 4th D. R. Foster, sec. and treas. ma 1-1t.

I HAVE 100 ACRES of land in Elizabethtown township that I will sell. 30 acres cleared. Balance woods. Four acres of orchard. Residence not so good. This land is on a new railroad which is called the Raleigh & Southport. Three miles from Clarkton. Five miles from Elizabethtown. Between the forks of two main roads. L. M. Allen, R. F. D. 3, Box 25, Clarkton, N. C. ma 1 1t*

FOR RENT—Four rooms with privilege of bath, including gas cooking range. Apply 216 South Second street. ma 1 1t

WHY DON'T YOU get in line with all the successful business men and take shares in some good building and loan association? No better way to save, a good investment, and a sure road to success. The Hanover Association has its headquarters at H. F. Wilder's Real Estate office, No. 207 Princess street, and will open a new series May 7th. We want you to take stock with us, don't put it off, but come now. H. F. Wilder, secretary and treasurer ma 1 1w

FOR RENT—One or two newly furnished rooms with high-class table board in private family. Modern best located residence, electric lights, telephone. P. O. Box 515, City. ma 1-1t*

LADY OR GENTLEMAN moving in best society can learn of an opportunity to earn high rewards; easy and becoming task; no business canvassing. Mrs. H., postoffice box 494. ma 1 1t*

HIGH CLASS TABLE BOARD just open to a few select parties wanting elaborate cooking. Write for address, P. O. Box 494. ma 1 1t*

WANTED—Car furnish rooms and board for two with use of 'phone, electric lights, hot and cold water. Best board market can afford. 209 Chesnut street, 'Phone 1212. ma 1-1t.

ATLANTIC VIEW cottages on Wrightsville Sound for rent at reasonable prices. J. G. Wright & Son, 124 Princess street. ma 1 3t

FOR RENT—We have four cottages on Wrightsville Beach, secure one before they are all rented. J. G. Wright & Son, 124 Princess street. ma 1 3t

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WANTED—To buy a good horse or mule or both cheap for cash. See me at once John H. Whiteman. ma 1 1t*

TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS cash and no more, will buy a good building lot 33 feet front and 75 feet deep. Just think of it These lots are on South Seventh street. Only sixteen lots left. For $75.00 cash you can buy a little better lot. Not a single lot is low. Call early Monday morning and take your pick. Sale will only last till Tuesday. Remember the prices $25.00 and $75.00. You cannot make a better investment. The title to these lots are all guaranteed. James Owen Reilly, Insurance and Real Estate. ma 1 1t

A SENSATION IN REAL ESTATE. Don't fail to call and find out about the lots that are selling for $25.00 and $75.00 Cash. If you do you will feel sorry next Tuesday that you did not call. James Owen Reilly, Insurance and Real Estate. ma 1 1t.

$3,100.00 CASH buys six houses that rent for $35.00 per month, in South Wilmington. Houses are almost new. Will pay you 15 per cent on the investment. No better bargain on the market. Houses are good renters. James Owen Reilly, Insurance and Real Estate. ma 1 2t

TEN LOTS at Southern Heights will be put on the market Monday, May 2, each lot high and dry with 33 feet front and runs back one half block to a 50 foot street, room to build two houses on each lot and still have a large yard. Sold cheap, $10 down and a small weekly or monthly payment; no interest; no taxes; guaranteed title. Will build house for you on lot. Call early and take your choice. James Owen Reilly. ma 1 1w

MRS. SYKES makes combings and cut hair into switches, etc., switches $1.00; out of town $1.25. Also dyed. 16 North Ninth street. ma 1 1t*

WANTED—Room and board for young lady in private family; address J. T. care Star. References exchanged. ma 1 1t*

FOR SALE—One Runabout automobile, same as new. One of the best in town, a bargain if taken at once. Need the money. Address "Automobile" care Star office. ma 1 1t*

FOR SALE—Two electric ceiling fans, four blades. Apply 110 Princess, 'phone 719. ma 1 1t*

WANTED—Ten carts and three laborers at Third and Orange streets Monday morning. Carts bring shovels. ma 1 1t*

TWO GENTLEMEN can secure rooms with board, use of bath and 'phone. Private family. Postoffice Avenue, 'phone 366. ma 1 1t*

FOR RENT—Four down stairs rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with all modern conveniences. Address "M. S." care Star. ma 1 1t*

LOST—Between A. C. L. freight depot and Y. M. C. A. a stick pin with initials "J. T. J." Finder will please return to Y. M. C. A. office and receive reward. ma 1 1t*

FOR RENT—Flat 314 Red Cross street—four rooms and bath—620 South Fifth, cottage with electric lights. Apply to M. C. Darby, Real Estate, 114 1-2 Princess street. ma 1 3t

FOR SALE—A Maxwell touring car—completely equipped and guaranteed as good as new. Owner bought larger car Address Box 385, City. ma 1 1t

NORTH FOURTH STREET—Between Hanover and Brunswick. Vitrified brick street—fine business or residential location. Elegant wide, and deep lot—66 feet on Fourth street by 165 feet deep. The home of Col. Geo. L. Morton, dwelling of 12 rooms, all modern conveniences. This location is sure to increase steadily in value. The time to buy is now. J. G. Wright & Son are the agents, 124 Princess street. See us Monday. ma 1 1t

A CHANCE for the man or woman who wants a home for investment. We have 30 lots situated on 14th and 15, between Nun and Church, which are to be sold on the easy plan. Payments are small and prices of lots to suit the purchaser. This property is the highest in this section. D. R. Foster & Co. ap 28 tf

ANNOUNCEMENT—Messrs. Foltz & Kendrick wish to announce that they have taken possession of the U. C. Ellis Studio. They have placed it in a perfectly sanitary condition, and are prepared to make the finest class of portrait work ever shown in Wilmington. ap 24 tf

FOR RENT May 1st, cottage No. 503 South Front, has five rooms, bath and pantry. J. E. Hall, letter carrier. ap 24 tf

$10.00 REWARD for return or information of Red Irish setter dog. Disappeared from Maxton, N. C., April 10th. P. P. Maxwell, Washington, N. C. ap 28 4t*

IF IT IS GOOD workmanship and cleanliness that you are looking for, you can find both at The Orton sanitary barber shop. Six white barbers. Would appreciate a trial. ap 26 tf

SULTANA OLIVE OIL—Mr. Vafiadi, the Sultana agent here, has arranged to have this oil distributed in the future by Hall's drug store, Fifth and Castle. Pints 50c. Quarts $1.00. Phone orders filled promptly. no 4 tf

WANTED—to hear direct from owners of good farms for sale. Not particular as to size or location. Land and Timber Co., Box 634 Wilmington N. C. ap 27 6t

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WE HAVE IT all for you. Nice dressed chickens and turkeys. Best of beef, veal, lamb, pork, etc. Complete line of early Spring vegetables to be found in the city. Call and see us today. Palace Market. Phone No. 72. ap 23 tf

ARE YOU GOING on your vacation? See Uncle Charley for a good leather suit case, a good trunk, 108 Market street. Just a whisper from Front street. ap 23 tf

LOOK HERE LEWIS! If you want fancy prices for your hides, chickens, S. potatoes and N. C. meats while they are in good demand, ship them to C. D. Gilbert, 212 Market street. ap 17 tf

WANTED—Experienced men in slack barrel heading mill. Good wages and steady work. Address Camden Lumber Co., 712 Law Building, Norfolk, Va. ap 7 1m*

BRUNSWICK YAMS—We have on hand about 200 bushels of Brunswick yams to offer at market prices. 'Phone us your orders. Brunswick Grocery Co. ap 30 2t

WANTED—General representative for success hand vacuum carpet cleaner. Sells for $15.00. The only successful single person machine on the market. Biggest kind of profits. Write for terms. Hutchison Mfg. Co., Wilkinsburg, Pa. ap 30 3t

FOR RENT—May 1st, residence No. 501 South Front street. Nine rooms, bath and pantry. J. E. Hall, letter carrier. ap 24 tf

WANTED—Traveling salesman. Salary and expenses. Big demand for our goods. Answer quick as territory is limited. Sales Manager, N. 207 South Commercial street, St. Louis, Mo. ja 9 eo su 26t

TAILORING—A large line of fashionable Spring and Summer suitings and trouserings on exhibition at Leger Meyer's, Merchant Tailoring at modest prices. Smith Building, second floor. ap 24 su tf

FOR SALE—A few choice barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels at $1.50 to $2.00 each, also eggs for hatching at $1.50 per 15. Stock guaranteed as good as any in the State. O. F. Wolf & Son., Bolton, N. C. ja 9 sun 6 m.

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INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES IN THE SUNNY SOUTH

Baltimore, April 28.—Among the important Southern industrial and other announcements in this week's issue of the Manufacturers' Record are the following:

Yellow River Power Co., was incorporated with $1,000,000 capital stock for the purpose of building a water power electrical plant to transmit 15,000 horse power, the plant to be located on the Yellow river, near Stone Mountain, Ga. J. B. McCrary, of Atlanta and associates were the incorporators.

Meritas Mill, Columbus, Ga., was incorporated with $300,000 capital stock and purchased a 20-acre site for a plant to manufacture cloth to be shipped to Northern mills for converting into oilcloth.

Stonega (Va.) Coke & Coal Co., controlled by Philadelphia capitalists, purchased the Keoka (Va.) Consolidated Coke Co's properties, including 9,500 acres of coal land, 700 coke ovents, and mining plants with annual output of 750,000 tons of coal.

Consolidated Phosphate Co., Dublin, Ga., awarded contract for an electrically driven acid phosphate plant with an annual capacity of 30,000 tons.

Dauphin Island Railway & Dock Co., Mobile, Ala., was incorporated to dredge a 30-foot channel to Dauphin Island and build docks, wharves and other coaling facilities, contemplating an expenditure of $900,000.

Alamo Land & Sugar Co., Donna, Tex., was incorporated with $4,000,000 capital stock to develop sugar lands in Hidalgo county.

Indian Refining Co., of Cincinnati, purchased Record Oil Refining Co., and plant at New Orleans, and will provide facilities for export shipping, being reported as to expend several hundred thousand dollars.

John W. Gates of Port Arthur, Tex., was reported as having perfected plans for a $1,000,000 mill to manufacture paper from rice straw, this enterprise being one he has planned for some time.

American Lumber Co., Bluefield, W. Va., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock to deal in and develop timber lands.

New Orleans Drainage Co., New Orlens, which incorporated recently with $2,500,000 capital stock, acquired 34,000 acres of land and will develop for cultivation by constructing a drainage system.

Southwestern Veneer Co., Cotton Plant ,Ark., was incorporated by New York manufacturers, the capital stock being $50,000.

William C. Smith, of Oklahoma City, announced a plan to build works for an annual capacity of 10,000,000 bricks and he is now taking estimates on the machinery required.

Producers' Cotton Oil Co., Memphis, Tenn., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock.

W. T. Carter Lumber & Building Co. Houston, Tex., was incorporated with $250,000 capital stock.

Ring Furniture Co., Kernersville, N. C., recently organized with $50,000 capital stock, determined plans for buildings and equipment to manufacture kitchen safes and cabinets.

Cottonseed & Fibre Co., Tie Plant, Miss., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock to manufacture cottonseed products.

Harden Manufacturing Co., Worth, N. C., awarded contract for 5,000 additional spindles and other machinery for its cotton yarn mill, from $75,000 to $100,000 to be expended.

Leaf River Gravel Co., Hattiesburg, Miss., was incorporated with $50,000 capital stock to dredge gravel from river bed.

New Orleans, Mobile & Chicago Railroad Co., Mobile, Ala., was reported as to expend $250,000 for constructing freight and passenger terminals and $200,000 for piers, warehouses, trackage and other improvements at its Choctaw Point terminal.

Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern Railroad, Cincinnati, was reported as planning to expend $300,000 to improve terminal facilities at Louisville, Ky.

Roslyn Clay Material Co., Rosslyn, Va., was incorporated with $15,000 capital stock to manufacture clay products.

A. C. Tuxbury Land & Timber Co., Charleston, W. Va., was incorporated with $300,000 capital stock to deal in and develop timber lands.

Merchants' Compress Co., Houston, Tex., was incorporated with $80,000 capital stock.

New Home Telephone Co., Glasgow, Ky., was incorporated with capital stock of $40,000.

Lake Land & Lumber Co., Monroe, N. C., was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock.

Waples Lumber Co., Galveston, Tex., was incorporated with $50,000 capital stock.

Feliciana Sand & Gravel Co., New Orleans, La., was incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000.

As Supreme Court Appears With Hughes as a Member

Albany, N. Y., April 30.—Before Gov. C. E. Hughes goes to Washington to take up his new duties as a member of the United States Supreme Court he has a number of reforms and further investigations that he promises to make in the Empire State. When President Taft made the offer to Gov. Hughes that he fil the post made vacant by the death of Justice Brewer he hesitated about accepting until he was informed that he would not be required to be in Washington until October. Lieut. Gov. Horace White, who is known as a typical machine man, will take up the duties of Gov Hughes, but the governor's friends say White will not have much to do in the way of investigations.

DANIEL BOONE MEMORIAL DEDICATED YESTERDAY

(By Associated Press.)

Salisbury, N. C., April 30.—To the memory of that famous pioneer, Daniel Boone, civilizer of the North Carolina and Kentucky wilderness, founder of Boonesborough, Ky., and central figure and hero in the many boyhood stories of Indian fighting and hunting tales, memorials were ceremoniously dedicated at Holman's Ford, near here today. These promise to become a mecca for patriotic pilgrims.

On the historic spot where Boone spent 19 years of his vigorous young manhood, hunting and resisting the skulking redskin, patriotic North Carolinians have erected on the exact site of the old homestead a few hundred yards from the Yadkin river, a new log cabin, a replica of the one occupied by the intrepid hunter, and his family. Directly in front of the simple building stands a handsome shaft of native Rowan granite froming an Indian arrow head 15 feet high and mounted upon a massive base. Ornamenting this is a bronze tablet bearing the name Daniel Boone and the date of his residence in North Carolina. Both of these memorials were dedicated with appropriate ceremonies in which many of the direct descendants of Boone, and a score of others who boast of their relationship to the pioneer, participated.

An elaborate programme of exercises had been arranged for the event. J. R. McRary, president of the Daniel Boone Memorial Association, was master of ceremonies, and Governor W. W. Kitchin, presided. The chief addresses were delievered by Judge Jeter C. Pritchard, of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, and Representative Page, of the Seventh North Carolina district.

The picturesque cabin which was dedicated today, the relics of the great pioneer that it contains, and the unique tablet designed to perpetuate his memory, are fruits of the work of the Daniel Boone Memorial Association, incorporated by the General Assembly of North Carolina in 1909. The association was created a corporation, "with power to hold lands, erect suitable memorials, collect historical materials and such other things as are necessary to perpetuate the memory of the life of Daniel Boone in North Carolina." The association is composed of 11 men, of whom J. R. McRary, of Lexington, is chairman, and it is vested with the power to perpetuate itself.

The memorial association has only begun its work. It intends to make of this beautiful and picturesque spot a Mecca for pilgrims from everywhere. It is about 12 miles from Lexington in one direction and an equal distance from Salisbury in the other. The very spirit of the mighty hunter and hero seems to hover in the air itself and echoes from the distant past can be heard in the rippling waters of the Yadkin and in the sighing of the winds in the trees which surround the old homestead. One may linger here until he can renew his youth and his imagination again run riot with visions of stealthy painted Indians being slain by the unerring rifle of the great Long Knife as Daniel Boone was known to them.

The first step toward the accomplishment of the work was the donation of five acres of land in Davidson county, 12 miles from Lexington, embracing the site of the Boone homestead and other points of interest made famous in the early history of the hunter. Citizens of Davidson county subscribed funds for the erection of a replica of the cabin in which Boone lived. Citizens of Rowan county (which was formed from Davidson county in 1822) gave the monument, and the Daughters of the American Revolution of Salisbury contributed the bronze tablet for the shaft.

The memorial is a one-story, double-roomed, log structure, with clay chimney and shelter, an exact replica of the homestead built by Boone about 1755. Housed within it are numerous precious relics, such as guns, hunting knives, powder horns, and articles of clothing worn by the pioneer, as well as cooking utensils used by his family. The cabin reposes snugly in a grove of majestic oaks tottering with age, and nearby the rippling waters of the Yadkin river, where the Boones did their fishing dance over the rocks and under the shade of the overhanging trees. Not far distant, on the river bank, is Boone's Cave, or Devil's Den, which the family is presumed to have used as a retreat when pressed by skulking Indians. The surrounding grounds have been artistically laid out to make the spot attractive.

The exercises today took place on a temporary stand erected near the cabin. The music was furnished by the Pilgrim string band, augmented by a large choir from the Churchland school, while 16 male students from the same school acted as marshals. Picnic dinner was served the visitors on the grounds.

The significance of the selection of the date for the dedication lies in the fact that April 30th is the 160 anniversary of the departure of the Boone family from Bucks county, Pennsylvania, for their new home on the banks of the Yadkin river, and the 141st anniversary of the departure of Daniel Boone from North Carolina for Kentucky.

It is a little known fact that not many miles away, in old Joppa cemetery, near Mocksville, Davie county, repose the remains of Daniel Boone's father and mother. The grave of Squire Boone is marked by a simple headstone, which has been enclosed in a steel cage, to save it from relic hunters, which bears this literal inscription:

"Squire Boone departed this life in thay sixty-ninth year of life in thay year of our Lord 1765, Geneary tha 2."

Afternoon Teas.

Require dainty desserts. Flavor them with Blue Ribbon Lemon and Vanilla Extracts.

STATE PRESS ASSOCIATION

Tentative Arrangement for Great Gathering at Wrightsville Beach in June—The Speakers, Essays and Features.

Rev. J. O. Atkinson, the president, and Secretary John B. Sherrill, of the North Carolina Press Association, have announced the tentative programme for the annual convention of the Association at Hotel Tarrymoore, Wrightsville Beach, June 8th, 9th and 10th. It will be one of the first of the big conventions at Wrightsville Beach this year and jointly with the editors the State Good Roads Association will hold its annual session. The tentative programme as announced is as follows:

Wednesday Morning, June 8—9:30 O'clock.

Convention called to order by the president, Rev. J. O. Atkinson, D. D.
Prayer by Rev. Hight C. Moore.
Address of welcome.
Response on behalf of the association.
President's Annual address—"The Faith of a Journalist."
Essay, "Harmony in the Sanctum"—Col. Wade H. Harris, of The Evening Chronicle.
Essay, "The Business Side of the Newspaper"—O. F. Crowson, of The Burlington News.
Essay, "The Best Arrangements of Newspaper Offices"—John D. Gold, of the Wilson Daily Times.
Address, "The Appeal of Public Health to the Press"—Dr. W. S. Rankin, secretary of the State Board of Health.
Appointment of committees. Miscellaneous business, adjournment.

Wednesday Afternoon—2:30 O'clock.

Association called to order.
Reading of Historian's Paper—Archibald Johnson, of Charity and Children.
Essay, "How May the Press Help in the Good Roads Movement in North Carolina, and Why?"—H. B. Varner, of the Lexington Dispatch.
"A Square Deal Between the Federal Government and the Printer"—Open discussion led by J. J. Farriss, of the High Point Enterprise.
Motions, resolutions, adjournment.

Wednesday Evening—8:15 O'clock.

Annual Oration—Hon. W. C. Hammer, of the Asheville Courier.
Address—Judge R. W. Winston, of Raleigh.

Thursday Morning, June 9—9:30 O'Clock.

Prayer by visiting minister.
Essay, "The Newspapers and the Uplift of Country Life"—R. M. Phillips, of the Greensboro News.
Essay, "Journalism and Religion"—Rev. Hight C. Moore, of The Biblical Recorder.
Essay, "Personality in Journalism"—Josephus Daniels, of The News and Observer.
Address, "Waterways and Transportation"—Hon. John H. Small, M. C.
Miscellaneous business. Adjourn.

Thursday Afternoon—2:30 O'clock.

Essay—R. W. Vincent, of the Charlotte Observer.
Essay—J. P. Cook, of The Uplift.
Address—Dr. S. A. Knapp, Department of Agriculture, Washington.
Election of officers. Adjournment.

Thursday Evening—8:15 O'clock.

Reading of the Annual Poem—D. L. St. Clair, of the Sanford Express.
Address, "The Mutual Relationship of Editor and Educator"—President Henry Louis Smith, of Davidson College.

Friday Morning—9:30 O'clock.

Unfinished and miscellaneous business.
The editorial party will go to Southport by steamer, returning to Wrightsville Friday afternoon.
Friday evening will be given to social enjoyment at the seaside as local committee may arrange.

THE GLIDDEN TOUR.

Omaha to be Included in Route—National Association Growing.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

New York, April 30.—On his way East from California, Chairman S. M. Butler, of the Contest Board of the American Automobile Association, visited Omaha, Neb., and made arrangements to change the route of the Glidden Tour to take in that city.

W. R. McKeen, Jr., president of the new Nebraska State association had little difficulty in convincing Mr. Butler that his recently organized association should be recognized by a night stop in Omaha. President McKeen said his association had decided to make immediate application for membership in the American Automobile Association.

Mr. Butler accordingly wired Mr. Lewis, who is now on the last leg of his journey between Fort Worth, Texas, and Chicago, to change the route after leaving St. Joseph, Mo., so that it will run direct to Omaha. After leaving St. Joe, the route will probably switch across the northwestern corner of Missouri into Nebraska. After leaving Omaha it will turn east and take in Des Moines I,a. Des Moines was on the original route, and the detour now planned in order to take in Omaha will add one more day to the tour and take in two sides of a triangle instead of one. After leaving Des Moines the cars will run to Cedar Rapids, Ia., Moline, Ill., and finish at Chicago about June 30.

Arrangements have been completed by which the new State association will complete its affiliation with the National body at the next meeting of the Executive Committee of the A. A. A.

This makes the 36th State association to become affiliated with the A. A. A. Other State associations are in course of formation, and it is likely that before the end of the present year every State in the Union, which has three or more automobile clubs within its borders, will have joined the National body.

ADVANCE IN TURPENTINING

Results of Department of Agriculture's Efforts Shown in Resolutions Recently Adopted by Consolidated Naval Stores Interests.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., April 30.—Results of the efforts of the U. S. Department of Agriculture to introduce in place of the box system of turpentining, which has been so destructive of the pine forests of the South, the much less injurious cup and gutter or cup and apron system, are evidenced in resolutions recently adopted by the executive committee of the Consolidated Naval Stores Company, a representative association of naval stores producers. The resolutions were as follows:

"Whereas, the experiment made by the United States government, as is shown by the various bulletins from the Bureau of Forestry, as well as the experiments of individuals, and the practical results obtained by the large number of operators, it appears that the use of cups in the gathering of crude gum yields much larger results in quantity of spirits of turpentine produced, and a very great increase of the grades of rosin, as compared with the old system of boxing; and,

"Whereas, it appears that the use of cups is to the interest of producer and factor, tending to increase and perpetuate the life of an industry in which we are engaged, and to the general good and upbuilding of which we pledge our hearty support;

"Therefore, be it resolved, that we, the members of the Executive Committee of the Consolidated Naval Stores Company pledge ourselves to use every influence at our respective commands toward bringing about as near as possible the universal use of cups against boxes in the production of naval stores.

"Resolved further, that we now declare it to be the policy of the Consolidated Naval Stores Company to look with disfavor on the boxing of any timber for turpentine purposes in which the Consolidated Naval Stores Company owns any interest."

The Department of Agriculture has established, by experiments, that the cup and gutter system of deriving naval stores (1) yields 30 per cent more product than the ancient method; (2) does not so weaken the trees physically that they are in danger of being wind thrown; and (3) leaves the timber in thriftier condition because it has not been severly injured by box cutting.

Naval stores production is now confined almost entirely to the South Atlantic and Gulf States—chiefly to Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana and eastern Texas, with very little coming from the last-named State. Southeasern Virginia, eastern North Carolina and South Carolina originally yielded this country's supply. The center then moved farther South and long remained in Georgia. Today the center is in Florida. Experience of the last half century has shown clearly in the case of Virginia, the Carolinas, and Georgia, that so wasteful and severely injurious a system of turpentining as the ancient box method results in exhausting the producing forest at such a rapid rate and in such a short period as to preclude all possibility of a permanent production of naval stores under that system in any given region. Under so short sighted a policy and system, continuance of the industry is clearly a question, not of establishing permanent production throughout the regularly maintained forest country, as is the case of wheat and other staple products which become fixed resources of certain sections, but of how long the United States as a whole will continue to produce naval stores. Continuance of production is dependent chiefly upon how long the staple species of virgin timber will last. The movement southward of the center of greatest production has been like the progress of a consuming forest fire. A staple industry—naval stores production as a resource—has not been left along the line of its advance. Like the forest fire, it has been transient, flourishing only so long as the virgin timber remained to feed the flames of its turpentine stills. The former Georgia operator, now in Florida, is producing heavily. Soon he will be obliged to look westward to the limit of the gulf pine forest. The end of it all, if the old methods of turpentining are continued, can be clearly seen; they are inconsistent with the permanent development of one of the South's greatest resources. Use of the most conservative system of turpentining, such as the Department of Agriculture has long been advising, would seem to be the sole salvation.

WATERLOO BARBERS.

Prohibited From Eating Onions and Other Distateful Practices.

Waterloo, Neb., April 23.—An ordinance has been passed in the City Council and signed by the Mayor and is effective at once, which, among other things, regulates matters relative to the cleanliness of barber shops and then provides:

"It shall be unlawful for any barber in this town to eat onions between 7 o'clock A. M. and 9 P. M. No barber, while shaving a customer, shall insert his thumb or finger in the said customer's mouth; shall not discuss the gossip of the town, and shall not use tobacco while working over a chair; shall not insist upon a customer having his neck shaved or his head singed."

A violation of any of the provisions shall subject the barber to arrest and a fine of not less than $5 for each and every offense.

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THE TRANS-CONTINENTAL LINE

Col. S. A. Jones Discusses Its Building in Connection With Proposed Railroad Rate Bill—His Visit to Columbus, O.

Editor Wilmington Star, Wilmington, N. C.

Dear Sir:—The following extract from United States Senator Hughes' speech in the Senate on the 26th, opposing President Taft's Federal Railroal bill is in exact line of my letter to the Asheville paper of March the 21st, a copy of which was sent to every Senator and member, and to every paper on the line of the Trans-Continental from Knoxville, Tenn., to Wilmington, showing what this bill meant to short and local lines of road now built independent of the old lines or any more that may hereafter be built. And that no short line of railroad could be built in North Carolina not acceptable and agreeable to the old lines that control the State's commerce that could in any manner become a factor in stopping freight discrimination against the commerce of our State, and would make it practically impossible to secure capital for any competing line if the President's bill become a law.

Senator Hughes says, "Under the operation of the proposed law, the smaller roads would have no chance, that railroad construction except by large systems, would be out of the question, and especially hurtful in the development of the great West." He further quotes testimony of the Attorney General, where he explains the proposed law would be evaded. Declaring that it would not apply to interstate roads, that official said that in the case of roads crossing a State line different issues of stock could be put out for each State." I asked him why go to all that trouble, but I am still waiting for the reply.

This clearly shows that if we have no relief now under the present local and interstate commerce laws, that we would certainly have less relief under the proposed Federal Railroad bill.

It shows clearly, as I have maintained for six years, that the only hope for the State is the building of an independent State controlled line from the great Tennessee coal fields, with connection there to the Northwest, and from Tennessee coal fields across the entire State of Tennessee and North Carolina to Wilmington and Southport, with the line extending clear through to the Ohio river. I am making these Western States understand this, and how commerce and traffic with our State is discriminated against and State by State through their Legislatures under an ironclad joint resolution they are joining Tennessee and North Carolina to help us get this relief.

This speech is made by a Republican Senator, who stands with a number of others, able Western Republican Senators, opposing a Republican administration measure. A party administration that has lived, thrived and kept itself in power 50 years by fostering manufacturing and transportation monopolies.

So if the bill will be hurtful to Western railroad development, it will certainly be hurtful to Southern railroad development, and I am glad men high up in the law making power of the Nation in the Republican party are rising above party lines and are looking after the people's interests.

There are men, I am advised, in Eastern Carolina opposing the trans-continental road. They are posing as Democrats, expecting to be honored by the people, and are afraid they will be unpopular with the railroad influences now controlling the commerce of our State because it is the open and the avowed purpose to break up the old lines long haul monopoly and stop the outrageous freight rate discrimination against the commerce of our State. They are the chaff in the wind, but they are the chaff from the wheat that represents the watered stock and watered bond holding in the East that controls the roads in our State that require that 150 per cent. discrimination in freight rates against the commerce of North Carolina shall be maintained to pay dividends and interest on watered stock and bonds.

If these men will meet the Trans-Continental in open debate, open and above board before the people—when we come to ask the votes of the people in Eastern Carolina to stand with the State to help free the State from being prevented from opening its harbors, and stopping unjust discrimination it is all we ask. If a little piece of road could have freed Wilmington and given her the right to be a rate-basing port, she would years ago have built that piece of road to Southport. But unless she could have compelled the old long lines to give a pro rated rate to the great West and Northwest over that line, by way of Wilmington, it would have done no good, hence the line has not been built.

Wilmington has been unable since she has been a city to secure enough aid from Congress within any reasonable time to hope that her young men would even live to see 30 feet of water in the next quarter of a century. And until there is enough votes pledged from the West in Congress behind the Cape Fear river and Southport to overcome the influence of all of these old long lines of roads crossing this State North and South, and to overcome Eastern influence in New England and New York, and all North of Cape Hatteras that stands with these old lines to keep the monopoly of Southern commerce, foreign and local in New York and the East, there will never be in 25 years thirty feet of water to Wilmington or a foreign port of entry and Southern naval coaling stations, though it saved the government $10,000,000 instead of $3,000,000 per annum.

It has taken newspaper correspondence, magazine correspondence, thousands of books and personal canvasses in these great Western States to bring their attention to the fact that their interest lays southward and not eastward, and to show them that they have been worked and heavily taxed for the support of the Nation, the same that the South has, and at last we have got them looking South for votes for their relief, and we must look West for votes for Wilmington and Southport for our relief. And I am getting them State by State.

A Senator asked me here last night why is this inland canal broadside the ocean almost, from Boston to Florida, being agitated, and if it was going to be built. My answer was, that the South and West are both gradually realizing that for 50 years or more nearly all the raw material of the South and West, and especially the South has been forced to the Eastern manufacturers. And of late years the South is beginning to manufacture her cotton, her iron and her timber, and unless cheaper rates by a canal that will avoid the dangers of Cape Hatteras, and other dangerous points on the North Atlantic coast, is built, the South and West and Gulf States will soon be manufacuring practically all of their own raw material, and New England manufacturers will cease to control the finished product manufac- South and West. That means the reopening of the South Atlantic and Gulf ports to the foreign commerce of the world, and the salvation of New England's monopolies can only be protected by this cheap inland canal route if they can get the South and West to vote the money with which to build it.

He then asked, do the Southern men in Congress favor that canal. I said, "Some of them do. From the view point I suppose that the feel that they will get some loacl appropriations that they could not otherwise get, for their little rivers and harbors, and are willing to stand for this measure on those grounds." He then asked me "will not that inland canal, if ever completed, draw millions of dollars of raw material from the South Atlantic States south of Cape Hatteras to the East, that will be manufactured into goods to supply foreign trade that should be manufactured in the South."

I said, "Just now, I don't want to answer that question and I am going to ask the Wilmington Star to ask some of those people on the east coast of North Carolina that is going to oppose the Trans-Continental road to answer that particular question."

I am getting these Western States to ask Congress to appropriate $5,000,000 to be expended within five years to give Wilmington 30 feet depth of water in the Cape Fear river and 35 feet depth at Southport to establish a United States naval coaling station at Southport and start a South American mail line from Wilmington and Southport, and to appropriate the money for the Florida canal to give Wilmington and Southport a safe trip from the shortest railroad haul from the West to the Panama canal to Southern Europe to the West Indies and South America in connection with the construction of the State controlled Trans-Continental road.

And State by State these Western States are coming in line for the work, and as they are growing to be great manufacturing States, looking to the South and South America for their raw material, they are naturally inquisitive about that New England and Florida inland canal, and just what its real effect will be on local and foreign commerce of the South and West.

Sometimes answering a question opens one's eyes to a view they might not otherwise have, so I hope the Star will kindly request that some of the men familiar with local and foreign commerce, and who have given some thought to the future movements of the commerce of the West and South, will give the answer to that question, and I will be glad to give it to the Ohio Senator and use it in other Western and Southern States when I shall visit their Legislatures to secure the votes for the Wilmington and Southport harbor and the Florida canal to make valuable to the people of North Carolina and Tennessee the ownership and control of the majority of the securities of the South Atlantic Trans-Continental Railroad.

Pardon the drift of this letter from the Federal Railroad bill to the East Coast inland canal. I am so often asked about it that I want the people who believe they are going to be the most benefitted by it south of Cape Hatteras to answer the question.

Respectfully,

S. A. JONES.

North Carolina, Tennessee and Florida Commissioner.

Columbus, Ohio, April 27th.

TRINITY COLLEGE AFFAIRS.

Arrangements for Commencement—Some of the Speakers.

Trinity College, Durham, N. C., Apr. 27.—All arrangements for Commencement have been completed and the list of speakers is now made public. The Baccalaureate Address will be delivered by President John C. Kilgo, Sunday evening, June 5th. The Board of Trustees will hold its annual meeting Monday afternoon, June 6th.

Tuesday morning the Baccalaureate sermon will be preached by the Rev. William J. Dawson, D. D., of Taunton, Mass.

At 1 o'clock Tuesday, the Alumni Association, of which Senator Lee S. Overman is president, will hold its annual dinner. At this dinner the annual address before the association will be deliveered by Hon. Furnifold M. Simmons, LL. D., United States Senator from North Carolina. A poem appropriate to the occasion will be read by Rev. Plato T. Durham, class 1895; Concord, N. C.

Tuesday evening, representatives from the graduating class will deliver the graduating orations, and the medals and prizes will be awarded.

Monday morning, June 8th, the commencement address will be delivered by Hon. Charles Nagel, Washington, D. C., Secretary of Commerce and Labor. After this address the degrees will be conferred.

Rev. William J. Dawson, who preaches the bacalaureate sermon, was born in Northampton, England. He was ordained a Wesleyan minister and held various appointments until 1892, when he became pastor of Highbury Quadrant Congregational church in London. In 1891 he was a delegate to the Methodist Ecunenical Council in Washington. He is not only a noted preacher, but he is the author of a number of well known books, among which are: "A Vision of Souls" (poem); "Quest and Vision"; "The Threshold of Man's Lord"; "Makers of English Poetry"; "The House of Dreams"; "Makers of English Prose"; "The Man Christ Jesus"; "The Reproach of Christ"; "Quest of the Simple Life"; "The Evangelistic Note"; "Makers of English Fiction"; "The Forgotten Secret"; "The Empire of Love"; "A Prophet in Babylon." Together with his son, Covingsby William Dawson, a brilliant graduate of Oxford University, he is now preparing "The Reader's Library," an encyclopaedic work in literature, five volumes of which have already appeared. The Greek English Letter Writers, The Greek English Essayist and the Greek Short Story Writers.

Dr. Dawson is already widely known to the American people. For many years he was one of the most popular speakers in England.

In 1904 he came to this country as the guest of Dr. Newell Wwight Nillis, of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, who had long been a student of his books and, having heard him lecture in England, had said: "Dr. Dawson reminded me of Wendell Phillips when the great orator was in his best days." The Brooklyn Eagle confirmed this estimate, comparing Mr. Dawson's oratory with that of Gladstone and John Morley.

Soon after his arrival in this country he found himself engaged in a vast scheme of public work. He crossed the continent from Boston to Seattle, preaching and lecturing everywhere.

He has already become one of the famous figures of American life.

During his entire public career Dr. Dawson has been not only a great and popular preacher, but also a lecturer on literary and historical subjects. He has lectured not only in all the large cities of Great Britain and Ireland, but also in those of Spain, Holland and Italy.

DON'T WANT TEDDY.

Texas Republicans No Longer Cherish Him as Their Idol.

San Antonio, Texas, April 30.—The Republican Association of Texas has within the last few days hit a different tack and Theodore Roosevelt, whose re-election to the Presidency was ardently espoused by it, is no longer their political idol. A resolution endorsing the colonel for the White House for another term was refused passage by an overwhelming majority and now the infant boom has been stifled. The same resolution called upon Cecil Lyon to surrender all but one of the numerous offices held by him in the Texas Republican party. But this feature also came to grief and now Lyon may be said to have a better grip on Republican affairs in Texas than he ever had before.

At the same meeting the negro Republicans received a bad jolt. Though not "lilly-white" the Texas Republican Association will insist hereafter that the negroes in the State form their own Republican clubs, whose heads are to be permitted to participate in the conclaves of the party. Outside of this, physical contact, as it were, will not be tolerated.

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"I CAN TRUTHFULLY SAY S.S.S. IS A CERTAIN CURE FOR OLD SORES, BECAUSE IT CURED ME OF A BAD ULCER, ON WHICH OTHER TREATMENTS HAD NO EFFECT."

This extract from the testimonial we publish below, will receive the endorsement of thousands of other persons who have used S. S. S. for sores and ulcers.

Every old sore comes from some kind of impurity in the blood. S. S. S. cures on the simple principle of removing the cause of the sore or ulcer and allowing nature to heal the place. When we think for a moment we realize that every portion of the body and system is dependent on the blood; that it is the circulation which nourishes all flesh tissues, and preserves their natural health. Thus we can readily understand why impurities or poisons in this vital fluid will infect and disease the flesh at some particular spot, and by continually discharging impurities into it, keep the place open, raw or inflamed. It would be against every law of reason to expect the sore to heal while the blood constantly deposits into it the infectious matter with which it is contaminated.

There is a simple way to cure old sores, and it is the only way—remove the cause from the circulation. External applications of liniments, plasters, lotions, salves, etc., can never produce a cure, because such treatment does not reach the blood, where the cause is located.

S. S. S. heals old sores because it is the greatest of all blood purifiers; it goes into the circulation and removes the cause from the blood. When the blood has been purified there is no longer any inflammatory impurity or infectious matter to irritate the place, and nature causes the natural and certain healing of the ulcer. When S.S.S. has cleansed the blood and the place is once more well, it is not a surface cure, every vestige of the old cause has been driven out and the place is solidly and firmly healed from the bottom to the surface. S. S. S. is made entirely of healing, cleansing roots, herbs and barks, and contains no trace of mineral. It is a medicine adapted to persons of any age, and is just as effective with the old as with the young or middle aged.

I can truthfully say S. S. S. is a certain cure for Old Sores, because it cured me of a bad ulcer, on which other treatments had no effect. Five years ago a running sore came on my limb. I tried everything I could hear of, but the sore grew worse. Even the doctors could not heal it. A friend finally told me to try S. S. S., so I did and in the meantime wrote you for advice. I followed your instructions and took S. S. S. regularly. My leg began to improve, gradually the place healed over and began to look healthy, and finally the sore was cured entirely. I believe S. S. S. to be the best blood purifier one can use. I gladly recommend it as a cure for sores and ulcers.
Rockford, Wash. A. S. LACY.

Under the purifying and tonic effects of S. S. S. the system is built up, and those whose health has been weakened by the drain of an old sore will be doubly benefited by its use. If you wish to know anything specially about your case write us. We will answer you fully, and will also send our book on Sores and Ulcers—no charge for either book or advice. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

WINTER PARK HEIGHTS
Wilmington's Most Beautiful
Suburb!

WE take pleasure in announcing our second and final sale at Winter Park Heights on **Friday, May 6th, 1910,** at 11:00 A. M., when we will dispose of the remainder of these beautiful lots at auction to the highest bidder **absolutely regardless of price.** Your price will be ours at this sale. ¶We sold and delivered 90 lots in 70 minutes at our first sale, and have only 75 left. When these are sold they cannot be duplicated between Wilmington and the beach. We purposely left some of the choicest lots on the plat for our second sale—for the man who failed to attend, but who, if he is wise, will certainly not let this last opportunity slip.

This is the best investment ever offered the people of Wilmington, and a strong testimonial to this tact is the general satisfaction, without a single exception, among the purchasers at our first sale. Ask them. Following are some of the purchasers:

Mr. C. N. Evans, Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy, Messieurs. J. F. Jarman, J. O. Brock, C. H. Fore, Godfrey Hart, E. G. Carrier, D. N. Stanley, D. Rountree, and others too numerous to mention.

These gentlemen believe in the future of the City of Wilmington, and are the men who make for development. Follow their lead especially when buying real estate. They were quick to recognize the natural advantages of this property; that it is high and dry, requiring no drainage, and that it is bound to INCREASE IN VALUE.

Contract has been let by one of the purchasers for the first dwelling, and as soon as it is completed, others will be built. **Watch Winter Park Heights grow.**

Penny Bros. The famous twin auctioneers, will again be with us, and the music will be furnished by Richardson Bros.' fine concert band of Gainesville, Georgia.

The proceeds from the highest priced lot will be donated to the James Walker Memorial Hospital through the King's Daughters.

We absolutely guarantee the title to this property, and defy anybody to show wherein it is defective.

FREE STREET CARS LEAVE FRONT AND PRINCESS STREETS promptly at 11:00 A. M.

This Property Will Be Sold on Easy Terms

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Raleigh, N. C.

DAY'S DOINGS AT THE CAPITAL

Several Charters Granted—Contest for Corporation Commissioner—A. & M. Drills for Medal—Rate Case Soon to be Settled.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 30.—The Bank of Holly Springs, Wake county, was chartered today with $10,000 capital by H. W. Norris and others for commercial and savings business. There were also charters today for the Doane Bartlett Co., Beaufort, capital $100,000 authorized and $12,000 subscribed by A. F. Foane, Jr., and others for mercantile business and the Ward Pharmacy, Rowland county, capital $25,000 authorized and $10,000 subscribed by H. B. Ward and others.

Commissions are issued to Adjutant General J. F. Armfield to R. P. Walker as lieutenant, J. D. Norman as lieutenant junior grade and W. R. Hardison as ensign for the Plymouth Division Naval Brigade.

Judge A. C. Avery, of Morganton, was a caller at the office of Gov. Kitchin this morning to urge the appointment of John H. Pearson, merchant of Morganton, as a member of the Corporation Commission to succeed Commissioner Aycock.

It is understood that Mr. H. C. Brown, secretary to the commission, has not and probably will not apply for the appointment as commissioner at the hands of Gov. Kitchin. However his friends are bringing every influence to bear they can to secure his appointment. His not applying for the appointment is due to the fact that to enter the contest for his appointment might weaken his claim in the event he failed to get this appointment, for the conventions nomination for the place on the commission to be vacated by Commissioner Rogers.

Will Holmes, a young white man, has been bound over to Superior Court on the charge of robbing James Young, of Harnett county, of $35. The young Harnett farmer claims that Holmes drugged him to commit the robbery after they had been together in a near beer saloon.

About $50 in cash and a number of valuable pieces of silver were stolen from the home of Mr. J. K. Doughton, State bank examiner, Thursday night while Mr. and Mrs. Doughton were out for the evening. They entered through the blind door and springing to lock, several rooms were ransacked. There is no clue as yet.

A gold medal for the best drilled non commissioned officer of Company B., A. & M. College cadet battalion, has been awarded to Corporal H. M. Walton, Morganton, and the medal for the best drilled private to W. H. Parker, Rocky Mount. The company drill was held Friday afternoon. There are yet to be similar drills by companies A. C and D.

It is expected that within the next few days the opinion of the Interstate Commerce Commission involving the case of the North Carolina Corporation Commission to compel the Norfolk & Western Railroad Co., to give its Virginia city long haul rates to their terminal, Winston-Salem and Durham, will be handed down, Chairman McNeill and Commissioner Rogers are both in Washington now and it has leaked out that they are there on matters pertaining to the determination of this suit which is expected to settle the long continued fight on the part of North Carolina shipping points for freight rates that will put them on a competing basis with Richmond, Lynchburg and Norfolk.

GOVERNMENT BY COMMISSION.

Mr. C. E. McCulloch Writes Something of New City Plan.

Municipal government by commission is growing. As an issue it is steadily widening. It was inaugurated ten years ago in Galveston to cope with chaotic conditons existing after the dire visitation. About 60 cities since have adopted this method resulting in more improvement at less cost. It has proved a boon to the tax payer, a bane to the ward politician. It has put to flight political chicanery and brought into control business sagacity. City governments have ceased to be opportunities of spoliation and become exhibitions of constructive activities.

The Plan. Five commissioners on fair salaries are elected yearly to conduct the business of the city. Each commissioner has his department of which he has full control.

The people have turned the city over to them and will expect results. The people need not care any more for the politics of the commissioners than they do for the politics of the manager of their street car line or of any other public service corporation. A municipality divorced from politics—a municipality conducted on business methods—what a desideratum! The experience of the 60 cities is more progress with less taxes. The commissioners are elected annually by popular vote but can be recalled at any time in the same manner. No ordinance passed by the commissioners, except where the public health or safety requires it, can become effective till it has been advertised for a definite time, in the meantime if 15 per cent of the voters petition this ordinance must be submitted to the voters to determine if it shall become law. Likewise if the people desire an enactment and 15 per cent of the voters so petition an election must be called and if a majority of the votes cast favor, then this becomes law without any act of the commissioners.

The commissioners are absolute except as limited by recall referendum and initiative.

All sessions of the commissioners are public. Each commissioner must publish monthly an itemized statement of all receipts and disbursements and the condition of the balance sheet of his department.

Fellow citizens, inaugurate this system of government in connection with the most improved method of voting and you will eliminate the ward politician, you will put in control those who will serve the entire city and not merely their resident wards. You will insure swift and efficient action, you will establish direct responsibility. It will not take a year for the mayor to find out if the police is subject to him, and if placed on the stand and asked if he is mayor will not have to reply as Mr. MacRae, "So called."

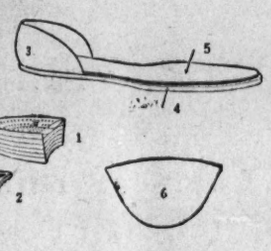
C. E. McCULLOCH.

Wilmington, N. C., April 30, 1910.

CRADDOCK SHOES

Are Honest Where You Can't See

If you should saw apart a **Craddock Shoe** and saw apart any other shoe that sells at the same price, compare them point for point, detail for detail, you'd find out some secrets about shoemaking. In the **Craddock Shoe** you'd find a sole leather heel (1) with the best top lift (2) money can buy; the ("top lift" used in the **Craddock Shoe** costs more than the whole heel of some shoes at this price. In the **Craddock Shoe** you'd find a solid one-piece grain leather counter (3) as good as is used in any man's shoe made. In the other shoe the chances are that the counter would be *in two pieces* or *maybe of spongy leather stiffened with glue.* The **Craddock** outer sole (4) is made of extra heavy old-method tanned steer's hides, A-1 grade—the best in the world. The soles of most $3.50 shoes are cut from flanky, spongy leather. The **Craddock** insole (5) is as heavy as the outer sole used in some shoes of this grade. It is hard and tough and smooth. The vamps of the **Craddock Shoe** (7) are cut from the heart of the best skins we can buy. Our competitors often use flank leather; this is cheap—and spongy. **Craddock** tops and quarters (8) are carefully selected. We use the best custom lining throughout. Most manufacturers use a good grade in the quarter where you can see it, but a cheap lining in the vamp where a good lining is most necessary.



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For stays (9) we use carefully culled bits of the best leather—the same kind we use in the vamps and quarters. We use no imperfect pieces at any time. These are shoemaking facts. They are common knowledge to shoe men. Because **Craddock Shoes** are honestly made of honest stuff through and through they wear longer—thirty days longer than any other shoe at this price. In all leathers, $3.50 and $4.00. There's a **Craddock** dealer in your town.

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MR. MARSHALL says: "Several years ago I suffered exceedingly from the passage of Lithic Acid Calculi. A friend recommended the use of **LINCOLN LITHIA WATER** and, acting upon his suggestion, I gave the water a trial. The result obtained was eminently satisfactory, and I have been using it freely ever since, and thus far have not experienced a recurrence of the disease."

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

These time tables are corrected to April 10, 1910, but their correctness nor the arrivals and departures are not guaranteed, the figures being given as the best available information for the public as to schedules of this company and its connections.

*Daily. a via Petersburg and N. & W. Ry.

48	42-86	48-80			89-49	83-41	49
*8 30am	*7 00pm	*8 30am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar.	Goldsboro Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	2 59pm
12 36pm	11 01pm	12 36pm	Ar.	Wilson Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar.	Rocky Mount Lv.	12 40pm	5 05am	12 40pm
5 50pm	a8 35am	.....	Ar.	Norfolk Lv.	.....	a7 40pm	*8 15am
.....	2 08pm	4 55pm	Ar.	Weldon Lv.	11 30am	3 48pm	.....
.....	3 55am	7 05pm	Ar.	Petersburg Lv.	9 18am	1 58pm	.....
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar.	Richmond Lv.	8 15am	1 20pm	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar.	Washington Lv.	4 20am	10 00pm	.....
.....	9 16am	1 20am	Ar.	Baltimore Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11 35am	3 40am	Ar.	West Philadelphia Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2 00pm	6 30am	Ar.	NEW YORK Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

42-86 and 83-41 carries Pullman buffet sleeping car between Wilmington and Washington connecting with New York trains.
48 and 49 carries Pullman Buffet parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk connecting at Rocky Mount with through New York trains.

42-85	55-89	51-83		42b85 via Wilson. *Daily	86-50	80-54	
*7 00pm	*3 15pm	*5 20am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.	11 59pm	1 40pm	.....
4 05am	7 25pm	9 05am	Ar.	Florence Lv.	8 03pm	9 30am	.....
7 20am	11 20pm	1 05pm	Ar.	Charleston Lv.	4 25pm	5 10am	.....
10 10am	2 40am	3 55pm	Ar.	Savannah Lv.	11 35am	12 10am	.....
.....	11 55am	2 20am	Ar.	Albany Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	.....
5 20pm	9 40am	1 45am	Ar.	Thomasville Lv.	2 05am	2 05pm	.....
.....	5 50pm	8 50am	Ar.	Montgomery Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
2 35pm	7 45am	8 15pm	Ar.	JACKSONVILLE Lv.	7 30am	7 45pm	.....
6 10pm	2 05pm	2 10am	Ar.	Sanford, Fla. Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm	.....
10 25pm	7 00pm	7 00am	Ar.	TAMPA Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
.....	9 10pm	.....	Ar.	ST. PETERSBURG Lv.	.....	6 30am	.....
.....	11 15pm	1 05pm	Ar.	FORT MYERS Lv.	*3 00	*6 00am	.....

55-89, 42-85 and 86-50 Pullman service. 51-83 and 80-54 Pullman service south of Florence.

55	51-35		*Daily.		22-50	54
*3 15pm	*5 20am	Lv.	WILMINGTON Ar.		11 59pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 05am	Ar.	Florence Lv.		8 03pm	9 30am
9 20pm	11 25am	Ar.	Sumter Lv.		5 50pm	7 30am
11 10pm	12 55pm	Ar.	COLUMBIA Lv.		4 10pm	*5 45am
.....	3 00pm	Ar.	AUGUSTA Lv.		2 45pm	.....
.....	8 20pm	Ar.	ATLANTA Lv.		7 30am	.....
.....	10 15pm	Ar.	Macon Lv.		8 55am	.....
.....	1 08am	Ar.	Chattanooga Lv.		3:00am	.....
.....	6 35am	Ar.	Nashville Lv.		9 30pm	.....
.....	3 20pm	Ar.	Memphis Lv.		1 00pm	.....
.....	1 00pm	Ar.	Louisville Lv.		2 45pm	.....
.....	4 30pm	Ar.	CINCINNATI Lv.		*10 55am	.....

53	*Daily.	52
*8 40am	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	8 05pm
11 45am	Ar. Fayetteville Lv.	4 50pm
12 10pm	Lv. Fayetteville Ar.	4 45pm
1 40pm	Ar. Sanford, N. C. Lv.	*3 30pm

62 pm	64 am	! Daily except Sunday.	65 pm	63 pm
3 25	5 50	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	6 50	12 50
5 17	7 48	Ar. Jacksonville, N. C. Lv.	4 51	10 55
6 44	9 10	Ar. Nor & Sou. Jct. Lv.	3 35	9 25
6 50	9 15	Ar. NEWBERN Lv.	3 30	9 30
pm	am		pm	am

55 Pullman sleeper to Columbia. 35Pullman service Florence to West. 32-50 Pullman service West to Wilmington. Sleeper may be occupied until 7:30 A. M. in Wilmington.

For folders, rates of fares, etc., apply to undersigned.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
TELEPHONE 160. WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect Thursday, September 30th, 1909

TO BEACH.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess treets at 6:50, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:30 A. M. :00, 3:00, 4:30, 7:20 and 8:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess treets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10 and 8:30 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina at 7:45 9:15 and 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:45, 5:15 7:55 and 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina at 9:45, 10:45 A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:15 and 9:15 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, *6:10, 7:20, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

*6:10 trip goes over to beach station No. 1

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets at 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 6:20, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25 1:55, 3:55, 6:25, 6:35, 8:05, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville at 9:55 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:25 and 11:25 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE, FRONT AND PRINCESS TO CAROLINA PLACE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess at 6:52 A. M., and every 15 minutes thereafter until 10:37 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess 8:22 A. M., and every 5 minutes thereafter until 10:37 P. M.

TO FRONT AND PRINCESS.

WEEK DAYS—Leave 17th and Market at 6:45 A. M., and every 15 minutes thereafter until 10:45 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave 17th and Market at 8:30 A. M., and every 15 minutes thereafter until 10:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington daily except Sunday 10:00 A. M. and 4: P. M. Freight depot open from 9 to 10 A. M., and from 3 to 4 P. M.

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Tickets will be on sale May 8th-9th and 10th, and will apply via any Regular Ticketing Route—Final Return Limit June 1st.

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NO. 55—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet and Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 62 for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:45 P. M.—For Hamlet, connecting with through trains for Atlanta, Charlotte, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet 7:45 P. M.; leave Hamlet 8:05 P. M., arriving Charlotte 10:45 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington

No. 40—1:15 P. M.—From Hamlet.

No. 44—12:20 A. M.—From Charlotte and Hamlet.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 63 for all points North at Monroe with No. 53 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 and No. 92 for Washington and New York and Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor Car Service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 39 leaving Wilmington at 3:45 P. M., and No. 40 arriving at Wilmington at 1:15 P. M.

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Lv. Norfolk	8:00 a m	7:30 p m
Lv. Petersburg	10:40 a m	10:20 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:35 p m	8:30 a m

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WILMINGTON TO NEW YORK.
S. S. "Sabine".....Saturday, April 30th.
S. S. "Chippewa".....Saturday, May 7th.

WILMINGTON TO GEORGETOWN.
S. S. "Chippewa".....Monday, May 2nd.
S. S. "Sabine".....Monday, May 9th.

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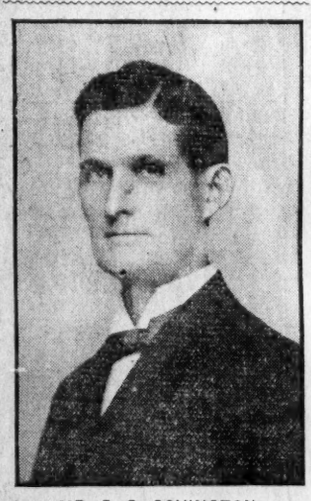
Wilmington a Gateway for Finest Product of West India Molasses Imported Direct Through State's Chief Seaport---Splendid Warehouse Facilities---Something of the origin and Development of a House Whose Trade Covers Four States.

Lying this morning, on the bosom of the placid Cape Fear in a sufficient depth of water to float the largest ship which the port of Wilmington is capable of receiving until her dream of "Thirty Feet to the Sea" is realized, at the wharves of the C. C. Covington Co., is the British schooner "Lavengro", about three hundred tons burden, H. R. Muir master, bringing to Wilmington and to the South one of the largest cargoes of fine molasses ever imported to this territory from the Islands.

Ordinarily the arrival of such a vessel either with or for the ordinary cargo of heavier tonnage usually handled through Southern ports would occasion no comment, but the "Lavengro" has something more—she brings not only one of the largest but one of the best in quality, cargoes of molasses ever discharged here, a direct importation from Barbadoes, one of the most picturesque islands of the West Indies. The arrival of the trim Nova Scotian craft day before yesterday was the signal for the marshalling not only of all the forces of the C. C. Covington Company, the Custom House officials, but a large gathering of experienced stevedores, who, from the moment the lines were cast to the wharves, to the weird strains of the familiar river "chanty",



MR. C. C. COVINGTON.

President and Treasurer of the C. C. Covington Company.

have been as busy as so many bees hoisting the barrels, puncheons and hogsheads over the sides of the ship and rolling them into the large St. Vincent's warehouse.

A visit to the docks of the Covington Company this week would be a revelation not only to the outsider but to many Wilmington people who have not the slightest conception of the immensity of the business that has grown up among them with the passing of the years until now it may be truthfully said that the house is the largest importer of fine molasses south of New York City! The C. C. Covington Company has gone about its business in a quiet, unassuming way, never proclaiming from the housetops what it is or what it expects to be, but honest business methods, square dealing and the spirit of enterprise have brought results in the end and Wilmington may now take a just civic pride in the establishment here of a wholesale trade that ramifies four States—North and South Carolina, Georgia and Southern Virginia—the territory being covered by wide-awake salesmen who travel the territory year in and year out, while occasionally the head of the firm, Mr. Chas. C. Covington, takes a swing around the circle himself and enjoys that personal, intimate relation with the trade himself, which is the surest foundation of success in any business.

With unexcelled dockage, warehouse and railroad facilities, representation at all times in the West India islands and the ability to charter at any and all times the class of large sea-going vessels required for the molasses trade, the firm is in position to compete successfully with any market actually selling molasses in Wilmington cheaper than the same quality of the sugar cane product is sold in New York City.

A great business, from a comparatively small beginning, has been established and is an important factor in Wilmington's commercial supremacy.

Founded in 1875 by the venerable father of the present head of the house, the late lamented Edwin P. Covington, the business was first cotton commission in its character. But in 1878, a little more than thirty years ago, Mr. Charles C. Covington, after graduation at the University of North Carolina, came to Wilmington and joined his father in commercial pursuits, for which he early manifested an inclination rather than to engage in one of the professions. In that year the business was enlarged in its scope, to a wholesale grocery, molasses then being carried incidentally. The wholesale grocery business had a successful run of six years when the Messrs. Covington, father and son, were the first to grasp the truth of the modern-day commercialism—that is a specialty in business—and the firm began the foundation of the present large molasses house.

That they builded well, no one can gainsay who will take the trouble to gather at first hand some conception of this business that has grown with the port and even years in advance of the times. This policy of progression, regardless of circumstances, was recently exemplified most strikingly by the firm when, after waiting long on the government, they established their own bonded warehouse. Mr. Covington has within the past several weeks taken a very active part in endeavoring to induce the trade to build the necessary warehouses to take care of the future commerce of the port ,a prerequisite according to advices from Washington to the Thirty-Foot channel to the sea. Mr. Covington is a pioneer in this line and at a recent meeting of the Wilmington Commercial Club gave that body some interesting facts as to bonded warehouses. The C. C. Covington Company has never hesitated a moment to provide its immense plant in this city with all modern equipments and conveniences.

From a modest beginning the firm continued to grow, since 1884 specializing in molasses, until in 1893 the wonderful possibilities of the trade were disclosed to Mr. Chas. C. Covington, the active member of the firm, and molasses was taken as their chief business.

This firm of Molasses Importers contributes a large share of the increased business which has made Wilmington the one envied of all others along the South Atlantic coast in the volume and value of its imports and exports. The proud boast of Wilmington as to its primacy in imports might with equal appropriateness be the boast of the C. C. Covington Company, as an important factor in that growth.

St. Vincent is the finest product of the West India sugar cane—just 'Lasses, Pure and Sweet, one of nature's great gifts to mankind. This St. Vincent's warehouse takes its name from the West Indian nomenclature and also bears the trade-mark designation of the firm, a cut of which is herewith given and which is used in miniature form on the engraved letter heads and other stationery of the C. C. Covington Company, a unique and pretty design typical of the South and appealing in picture more eloquent than words for the "'Lasses Pure and Sweet", which they undoubtedly are whether the truth be applied to the girls in the barrel or to the 'lasses which the barrel contained before they stepped into it with their message of friendly greeting.

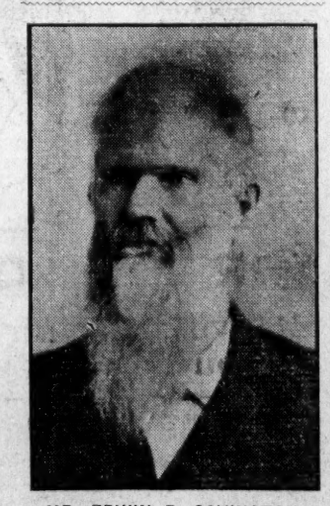
The next cargo of the C. C. Covington Company, which is now nearly ready for shipment from Barbadoes, will be stored in "Waterland Depot", which will be maintained as their bonded warehouse.

This firm's reputation for maintaining high business standards with ample capital and with every facility, meets competition on broad and honorable lines.

A most interesting feature of a large business like this of the Covington Company is the part which Uncle Sam plays in the trade. Coming from a foreign possession, every importation is subject to a tariff and here is wherein the Custom House official is called in. The government guages, inspects the quality for its sugar tests and for its purity. A representative of the National Pure Food Department is now in the city for the purpose of testing this importation and no part of this cargo is released until the government has made a thorough inspection. The Covington Company carries at all times the following well known brands: "St. Vincent", which is the premier; "Fancy", "W. F.", "A. R.", "D. B. S." and "T. T."—no, dear reader, not "T. R.", for that would be an infringement upon a certain distinguished American now traveling abroad and occupying the limelight in foreign courts.

The "Lavengro's" cargo is about 100,000 gallons, the cooperage, duty and the freight on the present shipment being over $10,000. Capt. Muir is one of the cleverest of shipmasters and he says that this cargo is one of the finest it has ever been his pleasure to bring over in his good ship. Verily here is a consignment and a business of which all Wilmington may be proud. The C. C. Covington Company, largest Importers of high-grade molasses south of New York City. The officers of the company are Mr. Charles C. Covington, president and treasurer, and Mr. W. L. Williford, secretary. Both are young men in the prime of life with a reputation already established and what has been accomplished by the company since its inception is but a forerunner of what they may expect in years to come under the high standard set for the business.

Trade Mark of C. C. Covington Company.



MR. EDWIN P. COVINGTON.

Founder of Business Now Conducted by C. C. Covington Company.

Mr. C. C. Covington has grown up in the business of which he is now the directing genius. Both by breeding and education he possesses the qualification for business that is vouchsafed to few men now in the busy marts of trade. He has always taken a lively interest in public affairs and is a man of splendid information and conception of affairs in general, but his one study and his one devotion has been to the large interest on the wharf which he has seen to grow and prosper in a measure excelled by none and equalled by few. His success is the reward of genius and his ability to handle large affairs in the light of cool and deliberate judgment. The C. C. Covington Company will abide and prosper.

VITAL WASHINGTON NEWS

Tavenner, "Writer and Thinker," Gives Facts as They Exist.

(By Tavenner.)

Washington, April 30.—A deficit of four million dollars for the first twenty-six days of April!

A deficit of more than nineteen million dollars so far this fiscal year!

A deficit of $190,057,887.86 since June 30, 1907!

These are features of Taft "cut-to-the-quick" economy, about which so much is heard everywhere save in Washington.

Here are more illustrations of a Republican "business" administration: Marble baths for Senators! Autos to carry them 100 rods between their offices and the Capitol! Touring cars for the President, Vice President and "Uncle Joe." White House receptions which "rival the glory of Napoleon's court," at one of which, according to the Washington Post, "a dazzling ravine of gold blazed before the vision."

Another group of "cut-to-the-quick economies includes: More than $2,500 for Appolinaris water for the Senators. Hundreds of thousands of dollars to keep the Senators in vaseline, castor oil, olive oil, bromo quinine, hair tonic, costly perfumes, glycerine, bergamot, nail brushes, clothes brushes, traveling expenses in attending funerals, etc., etc.

Then we come to this item which stands by itself: The addition in the last eight years of 99,225 federal officeholders to the payrolls of the republic, at an increase of expense to the people of more than seventy million dollars. This item helps to explain why it is costing the Taft administration more than twice as much to run the government than it did Cleveland.

How does this riotous extravagance effect the treasury is asked. These figures tell us: Since June 30, 1907, the total balance in the general fund has dropped from $272,061,445.47 to $82,003,557.61. With an average daily deficit eating its way into this remaining eighty-two million dollars, but a short time can elapse before the government will have to sell more bonds to secure more money to meet more extravagances. Outstanding bond issues are national debts.

How does all this concern the average citizen? This is how: The per capita appropriation by Congress jumped from $6 in 1890 to $12.40 in 1909. Since the government raises the bulk of its revenue at the custom houses and internal revenue offices, you, Mr. Reader, are paying for Republican extravagance in increased prices.

WELDON NEWS NOTES.

Personal and General Items of the Week—Betterment Association.

Weldon, N. C., April 30.—Mrs. J. I. Wyche and children have returned to Emporia, Va.——Mrs. C. P. Bounds returned home Tuesday from a visit to Emporia——Mr. E. G. Garlick and daughter, Miss Margaret, have returned home after an absence of several weeks——Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Harmon and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Enfield, were here this week——Mrs. C. T. Koonce, of Raleigh, who has been the guest of the Misses Medlin, has returned home——Mr. J. W. Briggs, a former Weldon boy, is here this week visiting his numerous relatives and friends——Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnston, of Jarratts, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Johnston, near Weldon.

Mr. Hardy Burgess was here Wednesday returning to the Soldiers Home at Raleigh, after a pleasant visit to his old home near Enfield.

A series of meetings are in progress at the M. E. Church this week.

Mr. John O. Burton has been re-appointed postmaster here. This is his appointment for a third term. He is accurate, painstaking and his accounts with the government always balance.

Mr. W. T. Whitehead was called to Enfield Tuesday on account of the death of his father, Mr. John Whitehead, one of the most highly esteemed citizens of that community, aged 85 years.

The county commissioners will meet at Halifax next Monday, may 2nd, to receive the handsome $40,000 Court House.

The Weldon Betterment Association was organized at the Weldon graded school with one honorary and 24 active members. The officers: Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins, president; Mrs. W. J. Ward, vice president; Mrs. W. M. Cohen, secretary; Mrs. R. S. Travis, treasurer. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Ida T. Wilkins' May 6th.

Gov. Kitchin has appointed Hon. D. L. Ward, of Newbern, Judge of the 3rd Judicial District. He is a brother of Dr. W. J. Ward, of Weldon.

DISCRIMINATORY RATES.

Greensboro Chamber of Commerce Adopts Resolutions.

Whereas, Congress is now considering bills to amend the Inter-State Commerce Act of February 4th, 1887, and Whereas, there is a strong sentiment in the Senate and the House of Representatives in favor of so changing the law as to prevent discriminatory and exorbitant rates in favor of certain communities and points known as gate cities and other territories in the northern portion of the United States, and

Whereas, all North Carolina territory is suffering on account of discriminatory rates and some of the proposed amendments now being considered by Congress promise relief against the unjust conditions that are now maintained by the railroads, and

Whereas, points known as gate cities are active in bringing influence to bear upon members of the Senate and House of Representatives to continue the present law in effect and allow the present conditions to be maintained, and

Whereas, the various amendments now pending before Congress with reference to these matters will probably be voted on within a very short time, therefore,

Be it resolved, that it is important to commercial, manufacturing, agricultural, and all other interests in the State of North Carolina that present conditions with respect to discriminatory freight rates by the railroads serving North Carolina territories, be changed.

Resolved further, that our Senators and Representatives in Congress are hereby urged to support effective amendments making it unlawful for railroad companies to charge more for freight hauled a short distance than is charged by railroad companies for a long distance, where the long haul includes the short.

Resolved further, that our Senators and Representatives in Congress be requested to support amendments to the present law which will secure to all points to which shipments are made through gate cities reasonable and just rates, which rates shall be based upon the theory that the rates to the gate cities are just and the excess for the additional distance shall be only a fair rate per ton per mile taking into account that the rate per ton per mile should in equity decrease as the distance increases.

Resolved further, that in our opinion the present scheme of freight making whereby certain points which are preferred by the railroads are given access to territory which is not by nature tributary to these points, and which they could not reach except by reason of the present unjust scheme which is wholly inequitable and indefensible and the result of it is to place in the way of the growth of all North Carolina territory an unsurmountable obstacle.

Resolved further, that in our opinion that if the people of North Carolina understand the remedies available to them by the proper action of Congress that they would be so insistent that relief be granted that their attitude would go far toward correcting present abuses.

Resolved further, that we invite the co-operation of other cities and communities in the State in this matter, and suggest a joint meeting of the people at some central point, or at least the immediate passage of some such resolutions as these by the various commercial bodies of the State.

Adopted by the Board of Directors of the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce, April 27th, 1910.

For More Than Three Decades

Foley's Honey and Tar has been a household favorite for all ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. Contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. Robt. R. Bellamy.

Over Fatness Condemned

Fat, or even fattish, women readers who want to be in the mode this year must understand that the demand is for lines, not curves, and govern themselves accordingly.

That means OFF with the fat. It has become a duty. Many are trying exercise or dieting; but it is certain they will find these methods too slow and unreliable. The cheapest and safest way to get in form for the Directoire mode is by means of Marmola Prescription Tablets. Any druggist (or the Marmola Co., 606 Farmer Bldg., Detroit, Mich.) will give you a large-sized case of these elegant little fat reducers, containing a good, generous supply, for seventy-five cents, and even this quantity should be enough to make a decided impression on your excess fat. Many have lost as much as a pound a day.

These Marmola Prescription Tablets may be used with impunity and likewise perfect confidence, for, being made strictly in accordance with the famous Marmola Prescription, they are, of course, quite harmless. They are rather beneficial than otherwise, in fact, never disturbing the stomach or causing a wrinkling of the flesh.

Strong Healthy Women

If a woman is strong and healthy in a womanly way, motherhood means to her but little suffering. The trouble lies in the fact that the many women suffer from weakness and disease of the distinctly feminine organism and are unfitted for motherhood. This can be remedied.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

Cures the weaknesses and disorders of women. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs concerned in motherhood, making them healthy, strong, vigorous, virile and elastic.

"Favorite Prescription" banishes the indispositions of the period of expectancy and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. It quickens and vitalizes the feminine organs, and insures a healthy and robust baby. Thousands of women have testified to its marvelous merits.

It Makes Weak Women Strong. It Makes Sick Women Well.

Honest druggists do not offer substitutes, and urge them upon you as "just as good." Accept no secret nostrum in place of this *non-secret* remedy. It contains not a drop of alcohol and not a grain of habit-forming or injurious drugs. Is a pure glyceric extract of healing, native American roots.

WHY DO YOU DRIFT?

Strike out and swim. Make yourself independent. The first essential is a bank account.

We allow 4% Interest.

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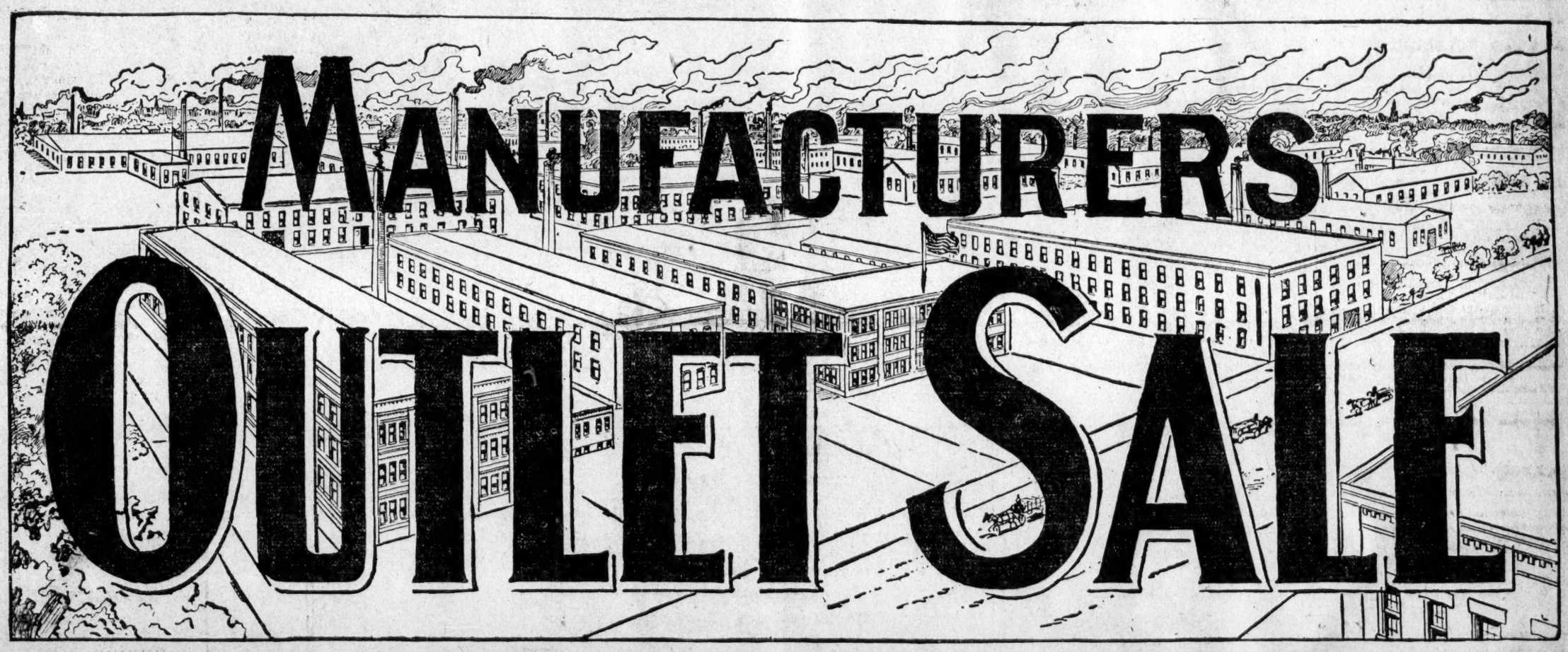

FOR TEN DAYS, BEGINNING MONDAY, MAY 2nd, TO THURSDAY, MAY 12th

We will have our annual May Sale. This season we have purchased such merchandise from manufacturers who were anxious to clean up their stocks. The entire list of bargains advertised below will be a great saving in your purchases.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments at special prices for our Outlet sale.

Ladies' White Linene Skirts, Outlet Sale $1.00
Ladies' $3.00 Linene Dresses, Outlet Sale price $2.25
Ladies' Lawn Dresses, French neck and three-quarter sleeves Outlet Sale price, only $1.05
Ladies Spring woolen Suits at one-fourth off regular price for Outlet Sale.
Ladies' white and colored Linen Suits, $4.00 to $7.50
Ladies Crash Suits, each ..... $7.50 to $15.00
Ladies Crash Dresses, a suit ..... $12.50 to $20.00
Ladies' White Linen Dresses ..... $12.50 to $35.00
Ladies' Auto Coats, each ..... $3.00 to $12.00
Ladies white Mull Dresses ..... $4.00 to $15.00
Ladies' Voille and Panama Skirts, each ..... $3.75 to $18.00
Ladies' Parasols in all the new designs at special prices.
Ladies' Crepe iKmonas in light blue, pink and helo. Outlet price $1.50

TABLE DAMASK, BED SPREADS, TOWELS.

Housekeepers will find a great saving if they purchase at this sale.

62-inch Mercerized Table Damask, Outlet Sale 50c
72-inch Mercerized fine bleached Table Damask, Outlet Sale price, only 60c
72-inch all Linen Table Damask, a saving of 15c a yard, Outlet Sale price, ... 60c
$1.00 Satin Damask, 72 inches wide, fine quality, Outlet Sale price, ... 85c
$1.25 extra quality bleached Table Damask, Outlet Sale price, only $1.05
Large Huck Towels, extra quality, Outlet Sale price, each 10c
Bleached Turkish Towels, large size, Outlet Sale price, each 10c
Extra large 25c value Bleached Turkish Towels, Outlet Sale price 18c
35c Hemstitched Linen Towel, Outlet sale price only 25c
72x90 Sheet, for single bed, Outlet Sale price, only, each 45c
81x90 Sheet for double bed, worth 85c, Outlet Sale price 69c
Cotton Table Napkins, heavy quality, Outlet Sale price, per dozen 50c
Large Mercerized Napkins, heavy quality, sold for $1.50 per dozen, Outlet Sale price, per dozen $1.20
$3.50 all Linen Satin Damask Napkins, Outlet sale price, doz $2.75

WHITE GOODS.

Just the season when they are needed. Come and see what you can save.

15c white Persian Lawn, 34 inches wide, Outlet Sale 10c
25c white French Lawn, 45 inches wide, Outlet Sale 15c
36-inch white Flaxon, 18c quality, for, yard 15c
25c quality, for, yard 20c
15c Linonette in white and colored, Outlet Sale price 12c
18c Suitings in all shades, Outlet Sale price, only, a yard 14c
25c Pique, Outlet Sale price, only 20c
40-inch heavy white Apron Lawn, Outlet Sale price only ..... 10c, 12 1-2c and 15c
Fine Luna Lawn, worth 18c and 25c, Outlet Sale price ..... 12 1-2c & 20c
Embroidered Center Pieces, 30 inches square, worth 75c, Outlet Sale price only 50c
Linen Sheeting, 2 1-2 yards wide, Outlet Sale price 75c
35c white Waist or Suit Linen, Outlet Sale price 29c
$6.00 Leather Suit Cases, Outlet Sale price, each $4.75
Ladies' black and colored Kid Gloves, $1.25 quality, Outlet sale price, a pair 85c

LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

We offer you ready-made Underwear at a price of the material alone.

50c Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed, Outlet sale 35c
Ladies' Lace and Embroidery trimmed Pants ..... 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c
Ladies' Gowns, full size and well made, sold for $1.00, Outlet Sale price 79c
Ladies' Gowns, lace and embroidery trimmed, sold for $1.25 and $1.35. Outlet Sale price, ... $1.00
Ladies' Skirts, lace trimmed, $1.00 value, Outlet Sale price 79c
W. B. Corset, Warners Corsets, Glove fitting Corsets, odd styles and sizes, Outlet Sale price, one-half regular selling price.
Ladies high grade Muslin Underwear at reduced prices.
$1.25 Ladies' lace trimmed white Lawn Shirt Waists, Outlet sale price, each 95c
$1.50 fine Lawn, lace trimmed Ladies' Shirt Waists, Outlet sale price, each $1.20

DAILY SPECIALS.

Monday, May 2nd, for the entire day, we will sell a $5.00 black warranted Taffeta Underskirt for $2.98
Limit one to a customer.

Tuesday, May 3rd, for the entire day, we will sell $2.00 Straw Suit Cases for $1.15
Limit one to a customer.

Wednesday, May 4th, for the entire day, we will sell our $3.00 Linonette Dresses for Ladies for, each $1.89
Limit one to a customer.

Thursday, May 5th, we will sell the entire day, 10 yards of Fruit of the Loom and Hill bleaching for 75c
Ten yards to a customer.

Friday, May 6th, we will sell the entire day, 35c Japonica Silks 27 inches wide, for, a yard 23c
Limit, one dress to a customer.

Saturday, May 7th, the entire day, we will sell our Gents' 50c Shirts and Underwear at 35c
No limit, as we are going out of Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Monday, May 9th, we will sell the entire day, any Trunk, Suit Case or Bag at 15 per cent. discount.

Tuesday, May 10th, we will sell during the morning hours Ladies' 15c Gause Vests for, each 8c
Limit, six to a customer.

Store closed in afternoon for Memorial exercises.

Wednesday, May 11th, for the entire day, we will sell a high grade Foulard Silk for, a yard 50c

Thursday, May 12th, we will sell Ladies $1.50 Gowns and Skirts for, each $1.00

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

is showing new and up-to-date Millinery every day. You need not feel ashamed to wear one of our hats.

LADIES' HOSIERY.

Ladies black Silk Hose, extra quality, a pair $1.00
Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose, double heel and toe 25c
Infants, plaid and white Socks, a pair ..... 15c and 25c
Ladies' warranted double finger tipped Gloves 50c
Ladies' new Neckwear, each ..... 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00

BARGAINS IN THE SILK DEPARTMENT.

36-in. Natural color Pongee, sold for $1.00, Outlet sale price 80c
36-inch Heavy Pongee for Auto Coats and Capes, worth $1.50. Outlet Sale price $1.10
36-inch black warranted Taffeta Silk, sold for $1.25. Price for Outlet Sale, only 85c
Limit, ten yards to a customer.
36-inch black Messalene Silk, very stylish, sold for $1.25. Outlet Sale price 95c
27-inch Tussah Silk, in all colors, sold for 50c. Outlet Sale price, per yard 39c
27-inch changeable and checked Taffeta Silk, bought to retail for $1.25. Outlet sale price, per yard 80c

WASH GOODS.

27-in. mercerized Bengaline, for Suits, sold for 40c. Outlet sale price, a yard 33c
40-inch Killarney Linen, sold in some stores at 18c. Outlet Sale price, a yard 12c
27-inch Galatea Suiting, good styles, heavy weight. Outlet sale price, a yard 10c
34-inch plain and striped Linene Suitings. Outlet Sale price yard 12 1-2c
American Beauty Lawns, 15c values. Special Outlet Sale price, a yard 12c

CARPET DEPARTMENT.

offers attractive bargains for our Outlet Sale.

$30.00 Moquet Art Squares, 9x12 feet. Outlet Sale price $22.50
$25.00 Moquet Art Squares, 9x12 feet. Outlet Sale price, each $20.00
$22.50 Brussels Art Squares, 9x12 feet. Outlet Sale price, each $18.75
$4.00 Moquet Rugs. Outlet Sale price, each $3.40
$1.35 Axminster Carpets. Outlet Sale price $1.10
and include the making and laying.

All Mattings will be laid without extra charge during our Outlet Sale.

Manufacturers' Outlet Sale for ten days, May 2nd to 12th. Our store should be crowded every day with bargain hunters. Read the bargain news thoroughly. It means real, practical economy.

THE C. W. POLVOGT CO. ✦ THE C. W. POLVOGT CO.

CHURCH INCOME IS $900,000

Old Trinity at New York Has Handsome Return on Investment—Collections Disbursed by Clergy —All Benefits.

New York, April 27.—Trinity Church corporation, the combined assets of which are put at about $14,500,000, had an income in the year ended on July 31st of $853,230. All but about $110,000 was derived from the real estate holdings of the corporation. These and other statistics are given in the year book and register of the parish of Trinity Church, a volume of 400 pages, which has just been given out. It is the second of the kind that has been gotten out.

"The financial statement of the corporation," says the report, "does not include the contributions and collections from the several churches of the parish, which this year amounted to $129,991, although in some of our chapels in the poorer parts of the city the offerings are necessarily small. These offerings and contributions which are devoted to religious and charitable and missionary work, within and without the parish, are received and disbursed by the clergy, under the direction of the rector, and therefore do not appear on the books of the corporation."

The magnitude of Trinity as a business corporation is shown from the detailed report of its financial transactions. In its list of receipts appear the following: Rents of real estate, $743,718; pew rents, which are collected in only four of the churches of the parish and not universally in these; $16,381; sales of real estate, $81,865; Trinity cemetery (not the churchyard at the end of Wall street) $3,862; notes which the parish has taken out, $300,000. With the cash balance with which the corporation started the year, the receipts aggregated $1,153,230.

Trinity spends for the maintenance of her ten churches and nine schools, including such items as church music, the pay of the clergy, repairs to the building, supplies, fuel and light, water rents and insurance, $355,517. It was an increase of $15,000 over the expenses for the same items in the year before.

The cost of maintaining the real estate holdings of the parish outside of the churches and schools, amounted to $461,252. It cost the parish $1,060 more in taxes and $15,000 more insurance to keep its property going than it did the year before. The city taxes and water rates, over what the lessees paid, amounted to $140,705 Repairs cost about $140,000. The year left the corporation with $205 458 in the bank, an increase of about $170,000 over the year previous.

CATTLE AND CONSUMPTION.

This Phase of Tuberculosis Campaign at National Convention.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

New York, April 28.—Important evidence in the world-wide controversy with regard to the relation of bovine to human tuberculosis will be given next week at the sixth annual meeting of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, which will be held in Washington on May 2nd and 3rd. Dr. William H. Park, the noted pathologist, head of the laboratories of the New York City Department of Health, which, it is understood, will go far to settle the question of the transmissability of tuberculosis from cattle to man.

The discussion of the convention will be divided into three sections, besides the advisory council. Bernard Flexner, of Louisville, is chairman of the sociological section, and Frank E. Wing, of Chicago, secretary. Dr. Lewellyn F. Barker, of Baltimore, is chairman of the clinical section and Dr. Louis F. Hamman, secretary. Dr. Theobald Smith, of Boston is chairman of the pathological section and Dr. Walter C. Bailey, secretary. Dr. H. M. Bracken, of St. Paul, is chairman of the advisory council.

One of the most interesting reports

On of the most interesting reports of the meeting will be that of the executive secretary, Dr. Livingston Farrand, showing the growth of the anti-tuberculosis movement since May 1, 1909. The number of associations for the prevention of consumption has increased from 290 to over 425; the number of sanatoria and hospitals for the treatment of tuberculosis from 298 to 400; and the special tuberculosis dispensaries from 222 to 265. During the year 1909, 36 out of 43 Legislatures in session considered the subject of tuberculosis, and in 28, bills were passed for the prevention or treatment of this disease. Since the opening of the legislative season of 1910, out of ten Legislatures in session, up to May 1, all have considered the subject of tuberculosis and every one of them has enacted some law that bears on this subject.

The officers of the National Association are Dr. E. G. Janeway, of New York, president; Prof. Edward T. Devine, of New York, and Dr. Henry Sewall, of Denver, vice presidents; Gen. George M. Sternberg, of Washington, treasurer; Dr. Henry Barton Jacobs, of Baltimore, secretary; and Dr. Livingston Farrant, of New York, executive secretary. Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt, and Dr. William Osler are honorary vice presidents.

MR. THAYER ELECTED.

Becomes Director of the Norfolk & Western Railroad Company.

Roanoke, Va., April 30.—Mr. J. B. Thayer, one of the ablest financiers and railroad directors of this county, was elected a director of the Norfolk & Western Railway at a board meeting Thursday.

Mr. Thayer is considered one of the ablest men in the railroad world today and is a warm friend of President L. E. Johnson, of the Norfolk & Western Railway. Because of his great ability Mr. Johnson selected him as a director.

What Everybody Wants.

Everybody desires good health which is impossible unless the kidneys are sound and healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy should be taken at the first indication of any irregularity, and a serious illness may be averted. Robt. R. Bellamy.

OUR GREAT MAY SALE

A Great Stock-Reduction Movement

Affording Remarkable Savings on Seasonable and Staple Lines

Spring merges into Summer. We must prepare for the long warm-weather campaign. The first step is a general stock re-adjustment. Surpluses must be moved; broken lines and odds and ends which are the natural accumulations of lively selling, must be cleared away.

A Sweeping Lowering of Prices All Along the Line is Our Medium for Reducing and "Ship-shaping" Stocks for the Summer Season.

Those who Appreciate Economy on the Broadest Scale Should Confine Their Shopping to this Store while the May Sale is on.

The variety of merchandise now offered at big reductions covers a multitude of warm weather needs. Each price stands for a splendid saving—an unequalled value. And while we have been relentless in our price cutting, every item in the sale is fresh, up to date and dependable.

This incomplete list of May Sale bargains will prove intensely interesting to everyone who delights in economy.

Sale Begins Monday, May 2nd

DOMESTICS.

10 yards fine unbleached Homespun for...39c
10 yards 7c one-yard wide white Homespun, for 49c
10 yards 10c Sea Island Cotton, for.....69c
10 yards 5c bleached Muslin, for.....39c
10 yards 10c Bleaching, May Sale for.....75c
10 yards Lonsdale Cambric, for.....79c
Apron Ginghams, all colors, per yard...4 1-2c
8c and 10c Ginghams, fine quality, per yard 6 1-2c

SKIRTS—EXTRA REDUCTIONS.

You will probably have to hurry to share in these remarkable offerings. One can always add another skirt or two to their wardrobe and many will do so now that we are offering new styles at so little to pay.

$10.00 black Voille Skirts, May Sale.....$6.75
$3.50 black Voille Skirts, May Sale.....$2.48
$1.50 white Duck Skirts, May Sale.....89c
$5.00 Panama Skirts, May Sale.....$3.98

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

Wearing time a-plenty so your needs are inducements for purchasing. Greater inducements though are given as we intend reducing these lines immediately, so down go prices to figures never reached before this Sale.

20-inch white Habutai Silks.....24c
27-inch white Habutai Silks, 50c values May Sale 39c
27-inch Japonika Silks, all colors, May Sale 22 1-2c
$1.00 one-yard-wide black Taffeta Silks....75c
52-inch wide Mohair Sicilians and Batiste navy, brown, black, 75c values at.....48c
50-inch wide, all wool black Panama, $1.00 values, May Sale.....69c

NECKWEAR NOW PRICED AT LOWEST NOTCH.

Beautiful Neckwear Novelties—the season's best styles. These lines will be closed at these very lowest prices.

Four-in-hand Wash Ties, May Sale, 3 for...25c
25c four-in-hand Fancy Silk Ties, May Sale 18 1-2c

TABLE LINEN AND TOWELS.

Towels, 4c each or, the dozen.....45c
15c bleached Huck Towels 19x24. May Sale, each 10c
25c large size plain Damask and Mercerized Towels, May Sale.....18 1-2c
35c all Linen Towels, 20x38, Huck or Damask, May Sale 23c
56-inch bleached Table Damask, May Sale..25c
66-inch Mercerized Table Damask, worth 75c, May Sale 49c
$1.25, 72-inch bleached Table Linen.....98c

BIG REDUCTIONS IN MILLINERY.

Thought we were going to sell every woman in town two or three hats and kept increasing the stock. Now we have too many, but not for long, when you see how prices are reduced. All the favored shapes, all sizes, bewitchingly trimmed, remarkably priced.

Cut prices on latest styles, drooping brim Sailors and ready-to-wear Hats, May Sale 39c
20 per cent. off on any Pattern Hat in stock.

KIMONAS, DRESSING SACQUES AND WRAPPERS ARE BARGAIN PRICED.

This sale brings savings in negligee wear that wise women will not neglect. Read the items and you will find values not often equalled.

Full regular-made Short Kimonas.....15c
75c Dressing Sacques, big assortment of colors, May Sale 48c
Ladies' $1.00 light Wrappers, May Sale...69c
Ladies' fancy Crepon long Kimonas, beautiful patterns, satin trimmed, $4.00 values, May Sale $2.98

STRAW HATS.

Bargain worth consideration, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 Straw Hats, your choice during May Sale 48c
One lot blue Serge Golf Caps, 35c values May Sale 22 1-2c
One lot English Bull Dog Caps, assorted colors, 50c values, May Sale.....39c

CHOOSE FROM SHOES AT LESSENED PRICES.

These are the new lasts, the right leathers, and the new colors. Too big a stock so these low prices rule on Shoes at the May Sale.

Misses' Patent Leather, Tan and white canvass ankle strap Pumps.....98c
Boys' gun metal and tan Oxfords.....$1.48
Misses and Children's six-strap Roman Sandal, patent leather.....$1.19 and $1.48
Children's Suede and ankle strap Pumps sizes 5 to 8, at.....$1.23
Ladies' patent leather, tan and gun metal ankle strap Pumps, 3 straps.....$1.69
Ladies bronze (something new) ankle strap Pumps, May Sale.....$2.39
Crawford Shoes for men, all sizes, new shapes and leathers, price stamped on sole of shoes.....$3.50, $4.00 and $5.00

This ad. will entitle the holder to a discount of 50c on any Crawford shoe if presented at this store during our May Sale. Cut out this ad. and present.

MAY SALE OF MEN'S CLOTHING.

You know of our clothing. Its good style, its worthy fabrics, its fit, comfort and unexcelled value is almost proverbial. And you know our regular prices, but you cannot imagine the saving advantages of this May Sale. You will have to come and see. These offerings to tempt you:

Men's $7.50 single and double breasted Coat and Pants $4.97
$10.00 double and single breasted blue Serge Suits $8.39
$12.50 to $13.50 all wool sponged shrunk Blue Serges, this sale.....$10.00
$3.00 and $3.50 Men's Outing Pants, this Sale $2.47
$15.00 and $16.50 all wool Serges, Cashmeres and Worsteds, light fancy patterns, Kirschbaum's custom made, this Sale $13.49
Men's single and double breasted Serge Coats $2.98
$1.50 and $2.00 Men's Pants, this sale....$1.19
$1.25 Working Pants, in colors, this sale...75c

BOYS' WEAR PRICED TO PARENTS' PROFIT

You can save money on this Sale on Boys' and Children's wear, suits, wash suits, hats and furnishings. Examples follow:

Boys' $1.50 Suits, sizes 7 to 16 years.....$1.19
Boys' $3.00 Suits, new styles $2.25
Boys' Knickerbocker Suits $2.69
Boys' Blue Serge Pants, 5 to 16 years.....47c
Boys' Sailor and Russian Blouse Suits $1.50 values, May Sale.....$1.15
Boys' $4.50 blue Serge Knickerbocker Suits $3.47

UNDERMUSLINS UNDERPRICED.

Your Summer Lingerie is here in all its charm of fine materials, dainty trimmings and the added enchantment of economies unusual.

39c Corset Cover, lace trimmed, fancy ribbon bows, good muslin 25c
65c fine Muslin Skirts, Gowns and Corset Covers, all great values, May Sale.....48c
Ladies' Muslin Skirts, May Sale.....25c
85c Corset Cover, lace trimmed, fancy ribbon 69c
85c Skirts, fine Muslin, lace or embroidery trimmed 69c
$1.25 and $1.50 Skirts, fine Muslin, lace or embroidery trimmed 98c
$5.00 colored Silk Underskirts, This Sale.$3.48
$2.50 black Heatherbloom Underskirts...$1.98
$1.50 Heatherbloom black Underskirts This Sale 98c

WASH GOODS MEET WAVE OF REDUCTION.

Gathered the largest wash goods stock we ever carried, largest ever shown in this city. Sold immense quantities already, but have heaps yet to sell. The May Sale if notable for nothing else would tower high above all other events because of these superb offerings in sheer, Summery wash fabrics in white and colors.

12 1-2c white stripe Madras.....9 1-2c
10 yards fancy flowered and striped 6c Lawn, for 39c
10 yards fancy striped, flowered and neat figured 10c Lawn for.....59c
10c white India Linon 6 3-4c
15c white Persian Lawn.....9 1-2c
35c 45-inch white French Lawn.....23c
$1.50 English Longcloth, 12 yards to the piece, May Sale $1.19
25c white Madras, beautiful line of patterns 19c
$1.75 English Longcloth, 12 yards to the piece, the piece, May Sale.....$1.48
$1.25 English Longcloth, 12 yard piece, May Sale 95c
25c Mercerized Batiste, 38-inch wide thin Sheer, May Sale 18c
36-inch wide white Linen Cambric, 35c value, May Sale.....23c
36-inch white Linen Lawn for Shirt Waist 25c value, May Sale 18c
90-inch Linen, 85c value, May Sale.....69c
90-inch Linen, $1.00 value, May Sale.....79c

MEN'S UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY HAPPENINGS.

You can save on the purchase of needed new hosiery at this Sale, all styles, colors and sizes, some attractive novelties. Prices dropped to a point lower than hitherto reached, as follows:

10c plain black, tan, red, blue, gray and fancy 1-2 Hose, this Sale.....7 1-2c
19c fancy and plain 1-2 Hose.....12 1-2c
25c fancy 1-2 Hose, this Sale.....19c
50c Patent Seam Drawers 35c
50c checked Dimity Shirts and short Drawers, 3 for $1.00
25c Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers..19c
50c Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, each 39c

CARPETS, RUGS, MATTINGS; 2ND FLOOR

Spring housecleaning discloses numerous needs in floor coverings. It is well. There could be no better time to supply them than now, while our May Sale brings forth these remarkably low prices:

All mattings sold this week above 19c, no charge for laying.

25c Matting, China and Jap.....19c
35c Matting, this week.....25c
15c heavy China Matting, one yard wide, May Sale, the yard.....11 1-2c
$1.25 large size Smyrna Rug, May Sale.....98c
$1.50, 36x72-inch Deltox Rug, May Sale..$1.25
45c American Fiber Matting, one yard wide, May Sale 35c
50c yard wide Ingrain Carpet, May Sale...35c
Light weight Cotton Comforters for Summer, $2.00 values, May Sale.....$1.45
$2.50 values, May Sale $1.89

A splendid chance to purchase your Trunk or Suit Case, which you will need for traveling, price 20 per cent. below regular price.

LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.

Dainty trimmings for all purposes, new designs of great beauty, good strong edges that insure longest wear. It certainly will pay you to buy lace and embroideries at this Sale.

Imitation Torchon Lace, 5c value. May Sale 2 1-2c or, per dozen.....25c
10c Embroidery, the yard.....7 1-2c
15c Embroidery, the yard.....11 1-2c
Val. Laces, the dozen.....10c, 19c and 39c
All Linen Torchon Lace, 10c values, big assortment, May Sale, the yard.....4c

SHEETS.

Special for this week only.

72x90, 50c White Sheets 39c
81x90 White Sheets, May Sale.....55c
81x90, $1.00 White Sheets, May sale.....69c
90x90 Fruit of the Loom $1.25 White Sheets, May Sale.....89c

WHITE SHIRT WAISTS.

The waists are perfect, styles are charming, trimmings are exquisite. Then why are prices down? Manufacturers made too many, and we add this purchase to the May Sale to make its offerings still more sensational.

One lot white Lawn Waists, lace trimmed..49c
One lot $1.00 Lawn Waist, fine material, good lace and embroidery.....75c
One lot $1.50 Lawn Waist, fine material good lace and embroidery.....98c
One lot $3.50 and $4.00 black and white Silk and Net Waist.....$2.49

GLOVES, UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY GREATLY REDUCED.

Our perfect fitting Gloves give you the maximum of style at minimum of price at the May Sale. Instances of the savings-now here.

One lot $1.50 white, black and colored Silk Gloves, to close.....89c
$1.00 Kid Gloves guaranteed, May Sale....79c
10c ribbed Vest, tape neck, May Sale....6 1-2c
15c ribbed Vest, tape neck and sleeve, May Sale 11 1-2c
10c Hose, black, great values.....7 1-2c
Misses 25c ribbed Hose, pair for.....15c
Ladies' 25c Lace Lisle Hose, all white, wonderful value, May Sale for.....19c
Misses' white, pink and blue 15c Hose, May Sale 9c

500 BED SPREADS AT BARGAIN PRICES.

White Bed Spreads, May Sale.....49c
$1.00 Quality Bed Spread, May Sale.....69c
$3.00 Marseilles Spread, May Sale.....$1.98
$1.25 white Bed Spread, May Sale.....98c
Big assortment to select from

RIBBON SALE.

15c all Silk Taffeta Ribbon, May Sale.....9c
25c and 35c all Silk Taffeta Ribbon, May Sale 19c

J. H. REHDER & CO.

She is Winning Fame For Plain Home Dinners

Washington, April 30.—If there is one way better than another to win fame and popularity it is via the good dinner route. Elaborate, dignified dinners of state grow weary, so those who are compelled to eat them have said, but a good old fashioned dinner, served in home style, is a hit in Washington circles nowadays. Mrs. James S. Sherman, wife of the Vice President, is a cook of the old school. During the past Winter she gave three dinners where there was more plain food than frills, and diplomatic Washington opened its eyes and wondered. Mrs. Sherman made a hit with her dinners—so much of a hit, in fact, that she is planning a series of twelve home dinners during the month of May, which are due to wind up the Washington season. "A Vice President is never overstrong in Washington circles," said Senator Depew, "but when a Vice President has a wife that can cook as Jim Sherman's wife can then he surely becomes of some importance. If Mrs. Sherman keeps her May dinners people would better look out or Mrs. Jim will be serving dinners from the White House."

AN APPEAL FOR BLIND.

An Opportunity for Those Who May Desire to Do Something.

Raleigh, N. C., April 30.—All who may be kindly disposed to the interests of the blind and who would be willing to do something for the betterment of their condition by helping them to help themselves, are asked to read the following lines:

On June 1st, 1909, about 35 blind men and women of this State formed the North Carolina Association for the Blind. The prime object of this organization is to promote the welfare of the blind within our borders, especially the unemployed adult blind.

Through an employment bureau or committee who get information of vacancies or openings and urge the appointment of suitable individuals, many idle and discontented blind persons may become happy and useful. By a loan fund for the purchase of materials, tools, appliances, stock of goods, etc., many may become self-supporting who would fail without such aid.

If we acquire sufficient strength financially, we hope to establish an industrial home for blind women where they may spend their time pleasantly and profitably, making at least partial self-support. Also a workshop for blind men may be run on a paying basis like the one at our State school in Raleigh, where those not admissable into the school may learn the trades and where those who cannot work with seeing men may find employment.

Besides these four valuable auxiliaries which are approved of by the leading workers for the blind and practiced in many other States with satisfactory results, by meeting together for the exchange of helpful ideas in prepared addresses, open discussions, and private conversation, etc., the members may be encouraged and benefitted in many ways. By working together as an association, we may get laws passed for the benefit of our class e. g., a State law to stop begging which is enforced in some cities. Blind persons who travel and beg on the streets can sell small articles just as easily and with far more grace. It is a public nuisance and prejudices public opinion against other blind people who do wish to earn a living.

Any seeing person paying the dues of only $1 per year, may become an associate member of our organization and thereby materially advance this good cause. All expenditures of money will be under the direction of a committee of competent and experienced persons whose judgment and integrity are unquestioned. There are many similar associations in other States and cities, particularly in the North, which are doing much good and are liberally patronized by benevolent people. And we feel sure that this deserving movement for the unemployed adult blind of our State who are so handicapped in many respects, will receive the kindly support and best wishes of those who read this paper. All names and fees of associate or regular members will be gladly received by the Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, C. B. Alexander, Matthews, N. C.

FOR A GREATER TEXAS.

State Industrial Congress is Perfected at San Antonio.

San Antonio, Texas, April 30.—Permanent organization and the adoption of a platform eloquent of 20th century progress have been the result of the first conference of the Texas Industrial Congress, just held in this city. The platform advocates the dissemination of information on Texas laws and resources, the development of its natural opportunities on a rational basis, the spreading of technical education, especially in agricultural pursuits, and the encouragement of proper immigration. Among the recommendations made is the establishment of a bureau of statistics under the Texas Department of Agriculture, a State geological department and several minor matters.

R. J. Klegerg, of Kingsville, a Texas multi-millionaire and a citizen of the best type, has been elected president of the organization. The other officers are DeWitt C. Dunn, Houston, treasurer; and John H. Kirby, Houston, chairman of the executive committee. The organization is divided into districts each of which furnishes one vice president and a number of committeemen.

RECOVERED ON CONTRACT.

Gastonia Firm Must Ante Up With Cotton Exchange Firm.
(Statesville Landmark.)

The work of the Federal Court was concluded and an interesting case brought to a close late Saturday afternoon, when the jury brought in a verdict for the plaintiff in the case of Carpenter, Baggot & Company, New York cotton brokers, vs. John F. Love, of Gastonia, a suit to collect $4,735 due Carpenter, Baggot & Co., by Love as the result of dealings in cotton futures which Love had with the brokers. Judgment was given for the full amount claimed by the brokerage firm with the exception of the interest at 6 per cent. from January 12, 1906. The jury, in rendering its verdict, failed to mention the matter of interest and the interest therefore begins with the end of the term of court. As heretofore stated, Love refused to pay the money on the ground that it was a gambling debt.

The evidence in the case, which was placed on trial Thursday, was concluded Friday afternoon and the argument of counsel consumed most of Saturday. The case was given to the jury shortly after 4 o'clock and the verdict was rendered about 6.

Commander Julius A. Pratt Post No. 143, Dept. Ill., G. A. R.

Mr. Isaac Cook, Commander of above Post, Kewanee, Ill., writes: "For a long time I was bothered with backache and pains across my kidneys. About two months ago I started taking Foley Kidney Pills and soon saw they were doing just as claimed. I kept on taking them and now I am free from backache, and the painful bladder misery is all gone. I like Foley Kidney Pills so well that I have told many of my friends and comrades about them, and shall recommend them at every opportunity." Robt. R. Bellamy.

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AND WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU.

Relief from pain that might otherwise cause you hours of agony.

Tired out muscles eased up and made ready for another day's work.

Lameness in the back and shoulders promptly cured and stiff joints limbered up.

Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Mashes rendered painless and quickly healed.

Rheumatism, Lumbago and Sciatica robbed of their anguish and banished forever.

Ulcers, Old Sores and Open Wounds healed promptly and permanently.

The first application of Mexican Mustang Liniment subdues the pain but it continues its work until every quivering nerve is soothed and quieted.

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In all cases of Sprains, Bruises or Lameness. Mexican Mustang Liniment should be rubbed in persistently.

The antiseptic qualities of this old reliable household remedy make it safe and sure.

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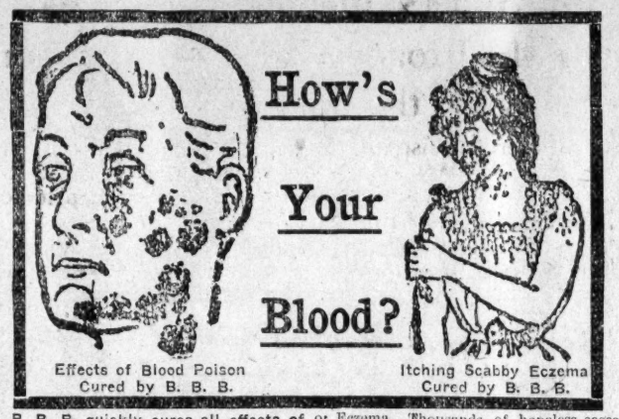

B. B. B. quickly cures all effects of Bad, Impure or Poisoned Blood, Weak Back, All Run Down Feeling, Despondency, Nervousness, Specks Flying Before the Eyes, Bone Pains, Pale Skin.

If you have aches and pains in Bones, Back or Joints, Mucus Patches in mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper-Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, Itching, Watery Blisters or Open Humors, Risings or Pimples of Eczema, Boils, Swellings, Eating Sores, Old Rheumatism or Catarrh, take B. B. B. It kills the poison, makes the blood pure and rich, completely changing the entire body into a clean, healthy condition, healing every sore or pimple and stopping all aches, pains and itching, curing the worst case of Blood Poison, Rheumatism or Eczema. Thousands of hopeless cases cured by B. B. B. after all else failed.

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State name of trouble, if you know.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

asks Shakespeare. A lot if it applies to a music house. What does the name of Ludden & Bates' Southern Music House represent to the musical trade of Wilmington and vicinity?

It represents forty years of square dealing, integrity and honesty.

It represents the sale of pianos and organs to father, son and grandson.

It represents the placing of one hundred thousand pianos and organs in the homes of satisfied customers.

It represents giving a dollar's worth of value for every dollar received.

It represents the highest pinnacle of perfection in the selection of artistic instruments.

It represents a forty year guarantee on your piano—if it has been selected of this company.

It represent a household word in the homes of music lovers.

It represents the prospective purchasers's interest in the selection of a piano for the home—as well as ours in the consummation of the sale. For forty years it has represented a house that has proven its worth to the musical trade—**OVER AND OVER AGAIN.**

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COL. WADDELL FOR RECORDER

At a meeting of citizens tonight it was decided to urge the name of Col. A. M. Waddell for Recorder of New Hanover County. This action was taken without Col. Waddell's knowledge or consent and we urge him for this position because we think he is the high type of man who should be called to this duty without seeking it, and we urge all citizens to support him.

MANY CITIZENS.

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FOR RECORDER.

To The Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

I hereby announce myself as a Candidate for Renomination to the Office of Recorder, subject to the will of the people as expressed in the Democratic Primaries May 18th.

JOHN J. FURLONG.

ap 28 18t

TO THE VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER CO

I take this method of thanking you for your kind support in the past, and at the same time say to you that I am again a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to the Democratic Primary, called to be held on the 18th day of May. If I am nominated and elected I shall do in the future, as I have done in the past, serve you faithfully.

Very Respectfully,
H. McL. GREEN.

ap 10 to ma 18.

TO DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER.

Thanking you for generous support in the past, I announce myself a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the Democratic primary.

ap 49 tf. BROOKE G. EMPIE.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Subject to the will of the people as expressed in the Democratic Primary to be held in New Hanover county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds.

ap 21 tf. HENRY HORNE.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County: I again present myself for the nomination of Register of Deeds, subject to your will to be expressed at the polls at the Primary election May 18th, 1910. I deeply and warmly appreciate your past support.

Respectfully,
ap 10 tf JOHN HAAR.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

Without the solicitation of friends, or by other person or persons, but simply of my own volition, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the legislature, from New Hanover County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held the 18th day of May 1910.

JOSEPH W. LITTLE.

ap 10 to ma 18.

FOR CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

With grateful acknowledgments of your generous support in the past, I announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Superior Court, subject to the Primary, May 18th, 1910.

p 12 to ma 18. JOHN. D. TAYLOR.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby respectfully announce myself as candidate for the nomination of Sheriff, subject to the will of the Democratic voters to be expressed at the Primary May 18th, 1910, and I also wish to thank the Democrats of this county for their support of me and confidence in my administration in past years. Respectfully,

ap 12 to ma 18. S. P. COWAN.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Subject to the will of the people as expressed in the Democratic Primaries to be held in New Hanover county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds.

JOHN A. EVERITT, JR

mar 3-1m.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from New Hanover county, subject to the will of the Democratic party, to be expressed at the primary.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD CO.

Office of the Treasurer.
Wilmington, N. C., April 21, 1910.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has ordered paid two per cent. interest on the Convertible 6-30 Year Four Per cent. Gold Debenture Bonds of that Company; the interest being payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 1st, 1910. The transfer books are closed from the 19th day of April, 1910, to the 2nd day of May, 1910, both inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
ap 26 to ma 2. Treasurer.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION.

Pursuant to an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled an "Act to Legalize Primary Elections in New Hanover County," ratified March 4th, 1905, as amended by Chapter 57, Acts of Special Session of the Legislature of North Carolina, ratified the 31st day of January, 1908, and as modified and amended by the acts of 1909, Chapter 867, ratified March 8th, 1909, notice is hereby given to the Democratic voters of New Hanover County that a Primary election under the new Australian ballot system, will be held under said laws at the various precincts in said County, on Wednesday, May the 18th, 1910, for the purpose of selecting candidates for the State Senate, the House of Representatives, Sheriff, Clerk of the Superior Court, Recorder, Register of Deeds, County Surveyor, Coroner, five County Commissioners (three of whom shall be for two years and two for four years), County Treasurer, and one Constable from each township, three magistrates from Harnett, Cape Fear, Masonboro and Federal Point Townships each, twenty-five magistrates from Wilmington Township, and one member of the County Executive Committee from each ward, and one each from Cape Fear, Harnett, Delgado, Masonboro and Federal Point Townships.

The polling places for the several wards and precincts, subject to approval and necessary change, by the County Board of Elections, will be as follows:

FIRST WARD—Polling place: Hose Reel House No. 1, 602 N. Fourth street.

SECOND WARD—Polling Place: 212 Princess street.

THIRD WARD—Polling Place: Giblem Lodge.

FOURTH WARD—Polling Place: Consumers Ice Company.

FIFTH WARD—Polling Place: Engine House Sixth and Castle streets.

CAPE FEAR TOWNSHIP — Polling Place: Blossom's Store.

HARNETT TOWNSHIP—Polling Place: Township House.

DELGADO—Polling Place: Sneeden's Store.

MASONBORO—Polling Place: Township House.

FEDERAL POINT — Polling Place: Capps' Store.

Registrars and Poll Holders have been heretofore nominated by the Executive Committee and certified to the County Board of Election in accordance with law and by them published, to which publication reference is made.

Registration Books will be open from eight A. M. until six P. M., from Monday May the 9th, 1910, to Saturday, May the 14th, 1910, both inclusive, at the several polling places. The Polls will be open on election day, May 18th, 1910, at all wards in the City of Wilmington, at seven o'clock A. M., and close at seven o'clock P. M., that is to say, in the first, second, third, fourth and fifth wards, and the polls on said election day at Cape Fear, Seven Mile Post, Delgado, Federal Point and Masonboro Townships, will be open from nine o'clock A. M. to six o'clock P. M. The attention of candidates is directed to the fact that the law providing for the Australian ballot requires that the Executive Committee shall furnish to the County Board of Election the names of all candidates for nomination for which the party may elect candidates. All candidates are therefore urged to list their names with the Executive Committee not later than May the 9th, 1910, in order that their names may be properly certified to the County Board of Elections and be given place on the ballot to be used in said primary.

Done at Wilmington, N. C., this 26th day of April, 1910.

JOHN J. FURLONG,
Chairman Democratic Executive Committee, New Hanover County.
F. T. SKIPPER, Secretary.
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NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, rendered on the 19th day of April, 1910, in a proceeding entitled Louisa G. Wright et al, exparte, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in Wilmington, N. C., on the 19th day of May, 1910, at 12 o'clock M. the following pieces or blocks of land in the City of Wilmington, and described as follows:

First Block: Being Block No. 480 according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, bounded on the West by Fifteenth street, on the East by Sixteenth street, on the North by Chesnut street, and on the South by Princess street, excepting a triangular lot 40 feet on Fifteenth street and 75 feet on Chesnut street, in the northwest corner of said block.

Second Block: Being Block No. 481 according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, bounded on the West by 16th street, on the East by 17th street, on the North by Chesnut street and on the South by Princess street.

The two blocks adjoin and are situated on the trolley line at or near the intersection of Princess and Seventeenth street, and the guarantee bid for said lots now stands at Eight thousand, nine hundred and ten ($8,910.00) Dollars.

This 19th day of April, 1910.

W. A. DICK,
ap 20 we su to ma 19. Commissioner.

TO THE DEMOCRATS OF THE SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:

To aspire to high and honorable position in the service of the people is a worthy ambition, and I beg to announce that I am a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Sixth district.

Having served as Presidential Elector in two campaigns, canvassing the district in 1908, I feel that I know some of the needs of the people and that I can be of service to them at Washington. I beg to ask the support of all Democrats, and should I be nominated and elected I will endeavor in all legitimate ways to advance the agricultural, commercial, manufacturing and other interest of the people of the district, and do my duty to the country at large.

Yours very truly,
H. L. COOK.

Fayetteville, N. C., April 16, 1910.
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NOTICE OF DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY AND POLL-HOLDERS FOR THE SAME.

At a meeting of the board of elections of New Hanover County, held this day, it was ordered that public notice be given of the selection of the following poll-holders and registrars, to conduct the Democratic primary election to be held on the 18th day of May, 1910, same having been elected by said County Board of Elections, upon recommendation of the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover County:

First Ward—W. L. West, registrar; John Barry, Poll holder; E. B. Knight, poll holder.

Second Ward—W. W. Hodges, registrar; L. M. Bunting, poll-holder; Jos. D. Smith, poll holder.

Third Ward—Frank Meier, registrar; J. O. Powers, poll holder; A. H. Creasy, poll-holder.

Fourth Ward—W. C. Armstrong, registrar; George Harriss, poll-holder; B. B. Jackson, poll-holder.

Fifth Ward—H. K. Nash, registrar; R. C. DeRosset, poll holder; Chas. T. Harper, poll-holder.

Cape Fear Township—J. Herbert Johnson, registrar; William Linniker, poll-holder; W. B. Hand, poll-holder.

Masonboro Township—Henry Horne, registrar; F. A. Montgomery, poll-holder; L. A. Bryant, poll holder.

Harnett (7-Mile Post)—J. A. Everett, registrar; Geo. R. Smith, poll-holder; J. M. Shepard, poll-holder.

Harnett (Delgado)—Joel Ray, registrar; H. C. Mason, poll holder; W. A. Smith, poll-holder.

Federal Point Township—Melvin Horne, registrar; S. T. Keyes, poll-holder; W. H. Williams, poll-holder.

In the event of a second primary, same will be held on the 20th day of May, 1910. Polling places for said primary will be the same as are now designated by law, or as near to the same as possible. Official notice of said primary, and the days for registration of voters for the same, will be given later, by the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover County.

Wm. A. FRENCH,
Chairman.

Wilmington, N. C., April 16th, 1910.
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SALE OF SAW MILLS AND TIMBER PROPERTIES.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Robeson County duly made and entered at the April Term, 1910, in a cause therein pending entitled W. J. McDiarmid & Company et al, against McDiarmid-Williams Lumber Company, the undersigned will sell at public auction all of the land, effects and choses in action of said McDiarmid-Williams Lumber Company, and all of its timber, timber rights, privileges and interests; tramroads, cars and other rolling stock; all railroad iron and rails (subject to such prior liens as may exist against said iron rails); all machines and machinery constituting the two saw mill plants and the planing mill plant; all belting, shafting, tools, appliances and apparatus connected with said plants; and all leases, privileges, contracts, options, rights, and easements, and all other property, rights, and privileges of the said McDiarmid-Williams Lumber Company of whatsoever nature, including its corporate franchise and the privileges thereunder.

The defendant Company's saw mill plant, known as Plant No. 2 and located on the Rozier lands, and its planing mill plant on the A. P. Rice land will be sold separately, as will all other property, and then the property will be offered as a whole, the amount of the highest bidder at each of the three sales to be reported to the term of said court commencing May 23, 1910, together with the recommendation of the commissioners.

A deposit of $500.00 cash, or certified check payable to the commissioners, is required to be deposited with them before the sale by each bidder, the same to be refunded to all except the highest bidders, whose bid or bids are recommended, such deposit or deposits to be forfeited upon failure to comply with the terms of sale.

These properties include two completely and modernly equipped saw mills and one planing mill; about three and one fourth (3 1-4) miles of railroad iron (30 and 40 lbs.) on which there is still due about $1,900.00, and about ten million (10,000,000) feet of pine timber, together with all lumber remaining at the mills at the time of sale. For a further description see M. D. Books No. 9, page 168; No. 11, page 34; No. 13, page 358; and No. 15, page 155, in the Register of Deeds office of Robeson County, and the references therein contained. Estimate and inventory will be furnished at sale.

DATE OF SALE: Monday, May 23, 1910.
HOUR: One o'clock in the afternoon.
PLACE: Court House Door in Lumberton, Robeson County. For further information address at Fayetteville, N. C.

N. A. SINCLAIR,
H. McD. ROBINSON,
Commissioners.

April 27th, 1910.
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SIXTH DISTRICT DEMOCRACY

Has Led All Others in Increase of Its Voting Strength.

(Bladen County Journal.)

In 1908 the vote of the Democratic Convention was 856 and it has increased to 966 this year. This means that the Democracy of the State is in a healthy condition. The delegations of nearly every county in the State either remain the same or show a substantial increase in delegates. It is gratifying to see that the Sixth District leads all other Congressional Districts in an increase of delegates. From a total of 66 delegates in 1908, the number has increased to 83, showing an increase of 17 delegates. Three other districts follow closely with increased delegations. The Fifth, Seventh and Ninth each have an increase of 16 delegates.

Of the counties in this district New Hanover has an increased delegation of 5; Robeson 4; Cumberland 3; Brunswick is the only county whose delegation remains stationary, Bladen had in 1908 7 delegates and in 1910 8.

We are indeed glad to see the party of the Sixth District not only holding its own but leading the other districts in progressiveness. The people know when a party is doing its duty and such a party can only prove its worth in the march of progress. A party which loses numbers or even remains stationary shows that it does not enjoy the confidence of the people. By the substantial gain just shown in the shown in the Sixth District within the last two years, the Democratic party certainly is upheld by the confidence of the people and that their dependence upon it for good government is being manifested every day. We predict for the Democracy of Bladen and her sister counties of the Sixth District a march of progress which has not been equaled before in their history.

BE PATIENT WITH CENTRAL.

Telephone Operators Can't Answer All Calls at Once.

(Statesville Landmark.)

People generally are too impatient with the local telephone girls. This impatience, one time in a hundred, is not due to discourtesy but to ignorance of the strenuous work that the Hello Girl has to do. If those who show such impatience with the telephone girl were to take the girl's job, nine out of ten of them would either go crazy or resign after two hours' trial at a rush time. The amount of work the operator has to do varies. There are times when they are not overcrowded, while at other times they are rushed beyond reason. Occasionally the impatient patron calls at one of these rush times, when there are probably a dozen other calls at the same instant. The result is the impatient caller flies off the handle and thinks things against central that ought not to be thought about any one under such stressed condition. Mr. Impatient, did you ever have more to do at one time than you could do? If you have, then be charitable to Miss Central. She does the best she can and is as faithful in trying to earn her wages as honestly as you are, Mr. Impatient. Next time you get mad at central just walk down to the office and watch what she has to do for a few minutes. You will be more patient with central and wonder that she does so well.

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PAINT YOUR BOXES.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Makes Request of Patrons.

Postmasters all over the country are receiving the following letter:

Washington, D. C., March 31.

It is the desire of the Department that you earnestly request patrons of rural delivery out of your office to paint their boxes and the posts to which they are attached a pure white color. This course, if pursued, will not only result in benefit to the patron in serving to protect his box and post from damage by the weather, but will give all boxes a uniform color and serve to fix their identity in all parts of the country as United States mail boxes, and will give them as much neater and sightlier appearance than they now possess. It is also desired that patrons be induced to imprint their names and box numbers on boxes in black block letters about two inches high.

It is also desired that you endeavor to induce road officials to paint upon the posts of boxes which are located at crossroads (but not attach signs thereto) the names of the towns or villages to which the crossroads lead, with an indicator showing the direction.

Posts to which boxes should be attached should be set in an easily accessible position at the side of the road and boxes securely fastened to a projecting arm of wood, or to a bracket of band iron about three-sixteenth of an inch thick, or, if preferred, an automatic extension arm may be used.

If you can do so without expense, bring these matters to the attention of the public through your local paper, or otherwise in the most desirable manner.

Respectfully,
P. V. DeGRAW.
Fourth Asst. P. M. General.

The ship subsidy people are quite right in saying that the foreign lines exert a powerful influence against any movement to restore the American mer chant marine. Naturally, they would not like to see the three hundred millions a year, which our overseas commerce pays them in freights, transferred to vessels flying the Stars and Stripes. But the ship subsidy people must not imagine that the foreign lines have anything to do with the very strong opposition of this country to the ship subsidy programme. The American people, like the New York Press, are very anxious to have our merchant marine first revived and then permanently flourishing; they are eager to see the three hundred millions of freight moneys a year going to American instead of to British, German and other foreign bottoms. But the ship subsidy scheme of taking cash out of the United States Treasury and putting it into the pockets of a few of our ship owners will not restore our merchant marine to its 'glories of the past; it will not shift the three hundred millions of freight payments on our international trade from the foreigners now taking that huge sum annually to fleets of Yankee merchantmen. It will merely put the few owners who get the subsidy moneys "in easy street". A programme that will direct our commerce into American bottoms, as with our internal and coastwise shipping, will surely restore our merchant marine and will give interests of our own the hundreds of millions of freight moneys which now go to foreigners. A programme that will offer the same opening to all American vessels to carry our overseas commerce. A National policy that will force business into all American bottoms. There is nothing like that in the present programme. That scheme is to take public funds out of the Treasury and pour them into the pockets of the favored few. The voters of the United States have no sympathy with this attempted grab. They will have no patience with members of Congress who legislate private hands into the vaults of the Treasury. —New York Press.

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